

Illinois Central Wreck Kills 1, Injures 80



Smoke pours from blazing diner and other passenger cars lie toppled in ditch after Illinois Central's crack train, the Seminole, hurtled track and plunged down 30 foot embankment near Corinth, Miss. One passenger was killed, more than 80 injured in the wreck.

(NEA Telephoto.)

Main Line of Axis Supplies in North Africa Endangered

Reds Battling Severe As- sault on Moscow; Other War News

(By The Associated Press)
British Indian troops racing 200 miles across the desert to capture Augla in central Libya raised hopes in London today that the imperial column would soon reach the Gulf of Sirte, high water mark of last spring's British offensive, and cut off the main line of supplies to axis armies in the west.

With their communications severed, the axis North African forces, already boxed in by powerful British mechanized legions on land and by the British Mediterranean fleet at sea, would thus be in desperate plight.

Pacing this development, Russia's Red armies were reported battling to stem one of the gravest threats to Moscow so far—with German troops acknowledged only 50 miles from the U. S. S. R. capital—while Berlin tersely reported a British attempt to land troops Sunday night on the coast of France.

Tank Battle Dies Down
British front-line dispatches, claiming victory over the Germans in at least one sector of the Rezzagh battle zone, 10 miles south of Tobruk, said the nazis were gradually being cut off from their supplies by imperial columns driving westward along the Mediterranean coast.

Cairo reports said that the great

Story of Reuben James' Loss Told

New York, Nov. 25.—(AP)—A torpedo from an unseen submarine zipped through the frigid waters west of Iceland early on the morning of October 31, last, crashed into the forward section of the U. S. destroyer Reuben James, exploded a munitions magazine and ripped away the vessel's forward end, including the bridge and living quarters.

That, in substance, was the story of Chief Petty Officer William Henry Bergstresser, 35, of Pittsburgh, highest ranking surviving officer of the destroyer after 100 men—including all of the commissioned officers—were swept to their death in the black, sub-Arctic waters.

Bergstresser, with 42 of the 45 survivors, arrived here yesterday on a U. S. navy transport.

Saw No Submarines
On duty in the engine room at the time, the chief petty officer said he felt the impact of a torpedo striking forward on the ship—"there were two explosions—one sounded like the magazine. Altogether there were eight men in both sections of the engine room x x x."

"I went topside and found the whole forward part of the ship, including the bridge, completely demolished and carried away."

Bergstresser said the after part of the vessel went down within a few minutes but not before three life rafts were lowered.

He and other survivors saw no submarines or other vessels as they gained the comparative safety of the rafts, he said, and they were rescued from the cold, ice-coated sea by another U. S. destroyer within 20 minutes.

The War Today!

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Telegraph Special Service)

Thirteen had better be somebody's lucky number—having especially in mind Herr Hitler and Comrade Stalin—what with seven new governments joining the nazi-sponsored six-nation anti-commintern pact (that is, anti-communist) at the fuhrer's Berlin conference today.

These thirteen governments, headed by the reich, are giving what Berlin calls "a demonstration of defensive will to oppose all destructive powers which directly or indirectly support bolshevism". Observers took this to include Uncle Sam and John Bull, who are giving Russia war-aid.

The thirteen also represent "an alliance which will create the pre-conditions for a new order in Europe and for the application of principles of a new order in the entire world". So Herr Hitler is, after all, doing a bit of world-wide thinking.

However, the anti-commintern pact in itself has to do with Herr Hitler's avowed determination to destroy communism. Since Stalin also is out to smash nazism, the number thirteen becomes a matter of no ordinary importance.

This is particularly true because, as previously suggested in this column, either the nazi government or the communist government is likely to disappear in this war. It seems impossible for both to survive in view of the undoubted determination of each to destroy the other. We also have the allied avowal to wipe out Hitlerism.

Today's development in Berlin makes particularly pertinent a query which I have from a Wisconsin editor. He is wondering what part Stalin is likely to play when it comes to deciding the fate of the German people in a peace conference, assuming for the sake of argument that the allies win. Will the communist chief's views be the same as those of Britain and America?

Well, first off, the nazi form of government presumably will have

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Extraordinary

Emporia, Kan., Nov. 25.—(AP)—Greenhouses ordinarily wear a pleasant perfume. That's why Mayor Ora Rindom, who is a florist, was beginning to sniff suspiciously.

He opened a desk drawer and out jumped a skunk. The mayor grabbed a gun but the maddened kitten beat him to the draw.

All the roses in the place couldn't help.

Psychiatric Examination of Leo Jordan, Child's Slayer, Allowed

Judge A. J. Scheinman in the Whiteside circuit court Monday morning approved the examination by a psychiatrist of Leo Jordan, 23, of Fulton, who confessed to the slaying of Warren Snyder, five-year-old Fulton boy, on Nov. 3. Jordan was taken into court to make a scheduled plea of guilty or innocence to a murder indictment, but the judge granted a 10-day continuance so that a state psychiatrist might make an examination to determine the sanity of the defendant. The request for the examination was made by Kenneth J. Besse of Sterling, one of the attorneys appointed by the court for Jordan.

A petition was presented to the judge by Sam T. Mee the other attorney appointed by the court

"Payless Paydays" Virtually Certain for State Workers

Supreme Court Refuses To Nullify Writ of Chicago Judge

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 25.—(AP)—The Illinois Supreme court today refused to order the immediate nullification of a Cook county Circuit court injunction against paying salaries to certain temporary state employees and postponed until mid-December any possibility of a ruling on whether the lower court order shall stand.

The court's refusal to grant a motion by Attorney General George F. Barrett for a peremptory writ of mandamus to expunge the injunction, issued by Circuit Judge Philip J. Finnegan of Chicago, made virtually certain a "payless payday" for between 15,000 and 18,000 state employees next Friday when their monthly salary checks are due.

Barrett has ordered that all pay vouchers for state employees who hold jobs under civil service classification be held up "until further notice" which, he said, would be given after litigation over the Circuit court injunction

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Charge Finnish Troops Aid Nazis

Washington, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Secretary of War Stimson charged today that Finnish troops "are now being used by the Germans" in such a way as to help the Germans close the Murmansk-Moscow supply line over which outside aid flows into Russia.

In a statement issued simultaneously with that of the secretary, Major General James H. Burns, deputy lend-lease administrator who recently returned from Russia, also declared that the Finns "are offering Germany great assistance in cutting across our national interest in the supply of lend-lease material to Russia."

Both Stimson and Burns said they deplored the Finnish position and declared that it should be altered.

"It is regrettable," Stimson said, "that the Finnish army should allow this condition to continue. It is not only inimical to the final interest of Finland, but it enables Germany to concentrate her efforts on a line harmful to the interest of the United States."

asking that he be released from the case. He stated that he held the position of assistant district attorney and that the office did not allow its employees to accept defense work. The judge relieved Mr. Mee of his duties and said that he would take under advisement a possible technical contempt of court charge. The judge named Lloyd Brown of Sterling in place of Mr. Mee.

Jordan was brought into court handcuffed to the wrist of a deputy sheriff and appeared to be in better spirits than when he was first brought into court. Howard J. Besse, one of the attorneys appointed by the court for Jordan, said that he did not utter a word.

Anti-Defense Strike Legislation On Its Way-- President Gives Law Green Light

Decision to Place Soldiers in Dutch Guiana Is Approved

Brazil Pledges Cooperation and Help If U. S. Is Attacked

Washington, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The dispatch of a protective force of United States troops to Dutch Guiana won much commendation in the Senate today, and the general disposition was to link the move with the critical status of Franco-American relations.

Several senators, speaking of the Dutch colony's rich bauxite mines, said that President Roosevelt obviously intended to forestall any threat to this vital supply source which furnishes more than 60 per cent of the bauxite ore required by this country's rapidly expanding aluminum industry.

Although none claimed to have confidential information, some well-informed legislators thought that Roosevelt may have acted from concern lest Germany occupy Dakar, France's strategic base on the western hump of Africa, and then try later to move into French Guiana, which borders the Dutch colony in the northeast coast of South America.

Senator Hill (D-Ala.), the majority whip, expressed the opinion that the president sent armed forces to Dutch Guiana "because we know that there is a projected conference between Hitler and Petain regarding the French colonial possessions, which include French Guiana."

Dutch Colony Uneasy

Diplomatic quarters have received a number of reports of nazi activity in French Guiana, and it is known that citizens of the Dutch colony have been uneasy about conditions in the French penal colony ever since the fall of France. The cessation of French food shipments has worsened the plight of some 10,000 convicts there, and many of the regular guards have deserted. An easily forded river separates the two colonies, and until the recent arrival of Dutch reinforcements from England, only a few hundred men could be mustered in Dutch Guiana's defense.

Brazil manifested her approval of the move by announcing the dispatch of a military mission to cooperate with Dutch and U. S. troops in guarding the bauxite mines and simultaneously served notice last night that she would not be neutral if any other American nation became involved in the war.

There was another veiled reminder to Vichy in the publication of Roosevelt's letter yesterday specifically authorizing lend-lease aid to the Free French forces. If France decides to cast her lot with the axis in the coming conversations, it was pointed out, bases in Dutch Guiana could effectively support a Free French move on French Guiana.

The Weather

TUESDAY, NOV. 25, 1941

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago and Vicinity: Fair to partly cloudy this afternoon through Wednesday; not quite so cold tonight; mild temperature Wednesday. Partly cloudy at times with high clouds this afternoon through Wednesday, but with 70 per cent or more sunshine this afternoon and Wednesday.

Further outlook: Thursday increasing cloudiness.

Illinois: Fair to partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; not quite so cold tonight; mild temperature Wednesday. Westerly wind 15-25 MPH, diminishing Wednesday afternoon.

Wisconsin and Iowa: Fair to partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; not quite so cold tonight; mild temperature Wednesday afternoon.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Chicago, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Extended forecast for the period from 6:30 p. m. Tuesday, Nov. 25, to 6:30 p. m. (CST) Saturday, Nov. 29:

Upper Mississippi Valley and Indiana—Temperatures will average above normal Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and southern Wisconsin, and near normal Minnesota and northern Wisconsin, warmer at beginning of period, no decided change until about Friday or Friday night then becoming colder northern sections and elsewhere by end of period. Precipitation will average light except locally moderate Illinois and Indiana, occurring mostly as rain during two days, except changing to snow in Minnesota and northern Wisconsin by end of period.

LOCAL WEATHER
For the 24 hours ending at 6 p. m. Monday—maximum temperature 35, minimum 8; clear.

Wednesday—sun, rises at 6:57; sets at 4:37.

Circuit Court of Lee Co. Reversed in Recovery Case

The Dixon law firm of Dixon, Devine, Bracken & Dixon representing James Daven and Mary Daven, his wife, has received the opinion of the Illinois Supreme court this morning by reversing and remanding, with directions, the suit brought by the Davens against Leo J. Downey, Daven's nephew, represented by H. C. Warner.

In 1935 Daven was the owner of 320 acres of land. He was indebted to the First State Bank of Ohio and to his nephew, Leo J. Downey. Daven claimed that he deeded his land to his nephew to secure moneys advanced by Downey for him to pay the bank and for the money which he owed Downey and that Downey agreed to hold the land until it could be sold for some price to repay him for the money advanced and save the balance for the Davens. Mr. Daven relied on a written contract which he claimed was prepared at the time of the transaction. Downey denied there ever was such a contract and his personal representative, Oliver Gehant, denied that such a contract had been made. Paul D. Perona, an attorney of Peru, together with other witnesses testified that such a contract had been made.

Reasons for Decision

Judge Wheat in the trial in the Circuit court decided against the Davens and the Supreme court stated they were not unmindful of the rule that on conflicting evidence the trial judge's decree will not be disturbed unless it is clearly against the manifest weight of the evidence. The Supreme court found that a contract to reconvey the land had been made and that in order to accept the testimony of Downey and Gehant on the controverted question they would be required to disregard entirely not only the testimony of James Daven but the testimony of Paul Perona and Leona Fenoglio, a stenographer both of whom were totally disinterested witnesses and whose testimony appears to have been fairly and truthfully given.

Verdict Directed

The Supreme court held that the trial court's decree was against the manifest weight of the evidence and that it could not be sustained. The decree of the trial court was reversed with directions to enter a decree in favor of the Davens against Downey. It further provided that Daven be given a reasonable time within which to pay Leo J. Downey the money advanced by him with interest, and that upon so doing, Downey surrender Daven's note, and that the title to the land in controversy vest in James Daven and his wife.

Since the suit was started the state of Illinois has purchased 160 acres of the land to be used as a game preserve, for \$8,000.00 cash, which results in James Daven receiving this \$8,000 in addition to the remaining 160 acres of land.

150 SERBS KILLED

Berlin, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The break-up of a band of alleged Serbian communists in a five-hour battle in which 150 Serbs were killed and 900 taken prisoner was reported today by DNB in a dispatch quoting the Belgrade newspaper Obnova.

MINER FATALLY HURT

Gillespie, Ill., Nov. 25.—(AP)—Frank Embrolitus, 50, an employee of the Liberty mine north of here, was fatally injured by a rock fall yesterday while he was working in an entry of the pit.

Free French Have Received Supplies

Washington, Nov. 25.—(AP)—United States military supplies, it was officially said today, have been going to the Free French forces in North Africa for about three months, under an informal arrangement with the British.

This statement followed an announcement by the Free French delegation in Washington of the extension of lend-lease assistance to the armies of General Charles De Gaulle.

The supplies, re-transferred to the Free French forces after delivery to the British in the Middle East, consist of tanks, trucks and a number of other items, including ordnance," a spokesman for Lend-Lease Administrator E. R. Stettinius, Jr., said.

He said the letter of President Roosevelt to Stettinius on Nov. 11, certifying that the defense of areas held by the Free French was "vital to the defense of the United States," and therefore eligible for lend-lease aid—a letter made public by Free French headquarters here last night—merely made formal an existing diversion of lend-lease equipment.

Action Result of Meeting in White House Last Night

Preparation of Bill is Or- dered by Labor Com- mittee of House

BULLETIN
(By The Associated Press)
An indication that substantial progress had been made, perhaps to the point of reaching a settlement, followed a second White House conference today on the controversy which threatens to tie up the nation's railways with a strike.

Washington, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The house labor committee instructed Rep. Ramspeck (D-Ga.), one of its members, today to prepare by Friday a new bill to control defense strikes based on President Roosevelt's recommendations for cooling off periods and compulsory arbitration.

Following the president's suggestions made last night at a White House conference with 11 house members and federal officials, Ramspeck himself made the recommendation for quick action and said later his proposals would call for this procedure:

Successive steps of collective bargaining under existing laws, conciliation, mediation "and possibly a fourth step of compulsory arbitration."

Speaker Rayburn said at his press conference that the White House conferees strongly recommended that some kind of legislation be enacted quickly—"but not something that will take the hair off of anything."

Ramspeck said he might include in his bill provisions that both sides in a labor dispute must submit to compulsory arbitration as a last resort, with the added stipulation that workers who did not abide by an arbitration board's decision would be deprived of their rights under such labor laws as the Wagner Labor Relations and Norris-LaGuardia acts.

The Georgian expressed the opinion that present laws were adequate to justify the government taking over a defense plant if the employer disregarded the board's recommendation, but he said it might be well to "write that into this law."

Form of Law Uncertain

Rayburn said that present plans still called for debate on labor legislation to begin next Monday but he said there was no way of knowing now in just what form the legislation might be.

The chief executive conferred

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Freight Handlers, Employers Confer

Chicago, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Truck operators and union representatives conferred today in an effort to reach a quick settlement in a strike of 2,500 A. F. L. freight handlers.

The strikers—the men who load and unload the thousands of freight trucks that serve the city and midwestern destinations—failed to report for work Monday morning because their demands for a 20 cents an hour wage increase from the present 55 cents had not been met.

The employers, whose offer for a 3 cents an hour increase has been rejected as "ridiculous," announced they would submit a second proposal for union consideration.

The striking union, the dock workers contingent of the highway drivers union, a local of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, also seeks time and a half pay for Sunday and work in excess of eight hours a day. A week's vacation with pay, double pay for legal holidays and a closed shop.

Uncle Sam Says Merry Christmas to 800,000 Soldiers Month Early

Washington, Nov. 24.—(AP)—The army said Merry Christmas a month in advance today—with the tidings that between 700,000 and 800,000 soldiers would get Yuletide furloughs.

By the war department's estimate, approximately half of the land forces will be granted leaves to go home for the holidays and this raised the prospect of the biggest Christmas transportation rush in more than two decades.

Belief was expressed, nevertheless, that there would be enough trains for the troops, without undue snarling of railway passenger or freight schedules.

In cooperation with the associa-

Primary Election Is Held at Dixon High School Today

Campaign promises will be more glowing and speeches punctuated with more fist-pounding following the primary elections at the high school this morning to select the senior students to rule the city on December 6. It is all a part of the annual civics project to teach the students the workings of Dixon's commission form of government. Final election are to be held on Friday morning and the student officers will be sworn to duty on December 6.

In the race for mayor in the primary this morning two candidates were "unopposed and the name of each will appear on the Friday ballot. In the test vote Bernard Callahan received 438 votes and Lois Blimbing polled 232.

Eight candidates remain in the race for commissioners, of whom four will be chosen. In the primary balloting this morning Jane Goff polled the most number of votes with 421 and the following in order were: Kenneth Potts; Bob Tennant, Jo Van Meter, Virginia Dodd, Lorraine Pritchard, Mary Louise Welch and June Herridge. They were chosen from a list of 12 candidates.

Close Contest for P. M.

Two candidates from the list of four were selected to oppose each other for the office of police magistrate. Bill Thompson received the highest number of votes with 259 and Wayne Needham, his opponent, polled 228 to indicate a close race for this office.

All other officers needed to fill the work of running the city will be named by the winners of Friday's general election.

The election this year is being sponsored by Miss Myrtle Scott, one of the founders of the annual project, and Marvin Winger, both of the high school faculty. Co-operating with them are the actual city officials.

Arbitration Board to Settle Mine Dispute Will Meet Tomorrow

Washington, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The arbitration board to settle the union shop issue in the captive coal mine dispute will hold its first meeting in New York tomorrow.

Dr. John R. Steelman, director of the federal labor conciliation service, announced the meeting place today. Other members of the board are John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, and Benjamin Fairless, head of the United States Steel Corporation.

The captive miners returned to work yesterday after a strike of one week to enforce their demand for the union shop, under which all miners must join the union. The captive pits are owned by steel companies, which use the coal mined from them.

President Roosevelt named the arbitration board after the steel industry and the miners agreed to abide by its findings.

AXIS SHIPS SUNK

London, Nov. 25.—(AP)—British surface patrols in the central Mediterranean yesterday sank an axis convoy of two supply ships bound for Africa, the Admiralty announced tonight.

Inseparable

Chicago, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Guido "Babe" Mengarelli, Jr., 8, and his inseparable companion, "Rags," a husky black pup of a nameless breed, were on their way to a grocery. Neither of them saw the automobile as they came to the crossing, and the driver didn't see them either. Babe was killed instantly and Rags' legs were mangled.

But the pup didn't have long to mourn. Two hours later Babe and Rags still were inseparable—in death.

Defense Orders Held Up

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Lloyd Weber, business agent of district council No. 9 of the International Association of Machinists, which called the strike Monday because of a jurisdictional dispute with the A. F. L. hoisting engineers and carpenters' unions, declared it was "more than 90 per cent effective."

He said more than 400 plants were closed or partly affected by the strike.

Wages, hours and working conditions are not involved. The machinists are demanding reinstatement of 110 members who went on strike last month at the Weldon Springs TNT plant and the St. Louis small arms ammunition plant.

Anti-Communist Pact Also Hits at America, Britain

Hailed Demonstration of Solidarity of Europe's People

Berlin, Nov. 24.—(AP)—The anti-commintern pact sponsored by Germany has renewed for five years and broadened to include 13 signatories today in a festive ceremony at which Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop declared that the western democracies had become "assistants to world communism."

Concluding the ceremonies in the chancellery where the pact was hailed as a demonstration of continental solidarity against Moscow, London and Washington, Ribbentrop declared the signatories "will never rest" until the destruction of world communism.

"Ignoring the real danger to themselves, the western democracies out of pure egoism and opportunism, have made common cause with comm. nists and thereby have become assistants to world communism," he declared.

Bulgaria, Denmark, Finland, Croatia, Rumania and Slovakia were officially signed up by their representatives in a noon ceremony at the reichs chancellery, and Von Ribbentrop read a telegram from Foreign Minister Dr. Tsumin-Yee of the Japanese-sponsored Nanking regime of China that his government also had joined.

The Berlin press hailed the gathering as a demonstration of continental solidarity against Moscow, London and Washington.

The new members joined Germany and Japan, the original signatories, Italy, Spain, Hungary and Manchukuo in the agreement, which was described by Berlin newspapers as aimed against "all destructive powers which directly or indirectly support bolshevism."

Originally Signed in 1936

Foreign Minister Ramon Serrano Suner of Spain and Vice Premier Mihail Antonescu of Rumania were among the representatives here for the occasion.

It was provided that the contracting powers will consult with each other concerning further cooperation before expiration of the five-year period. The pact was originally signed by German and Japanese representatives Nov. 25, 1936.

The extension was said to have been decided upon by the representatives "in realization that the

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St. Louis Strike Affects Aircraft

St. Louis, Nov. 25.—(AP)—One aircraft company engaged exclusively in defense work was shut down today and production was seriously curtailed at the huge Curtiss-Wright plant as a general strike of more than 8500 A. F. L. machinists spread into the aircraft industry.

Officials of both the company and the union said the McDonnell Aircraft Corporation plant, which has \$4,500,000 in orders for tail assemblies, gun mounts and other parts for army planes, was closed completely. The plant has 330 production employees.

Officers at the Curtiss-Wright plant, where 150 employees in the machine shop and tool division failed to report for work yesterday, said a larger number of employees, including production workers in other departments, had joined the strike today.

One spokesman declared "some men are working" but added that production would halt completely in a few days if the strike continued.

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Of Interest to Farmers

Huge Show Opens in Chicago Nov. 29

Chicago, Nov. 25.—Of first importance on the Fall calendar of events to stockmen and farmers the country over is the first week of December, which this year will mark the 42nd anniversary of the continental show, the International Live Stock Exposition and Horse Show.

The 1941 Exposition will be held from November 29 to December 6 in Chicago's huge International Amphitheatre and will overflow a large area of the adjoining Stock Yards, where hundreds of carloads of choice cattle, sheep, and swine will be displayed.

Exhibits From 37 States
Officials of the Exposition announce that entries have thus far been received from prospective exhibitors in 37 states and four Canadian provinces, the largest number of states thus far ever represented. Purebred herds and flocks will be shown en route to Chicago from such distances as California, Oregon, and Washington on the West to nearly all of the Atlantic seaboard states on the East, and from Canada to Texas. All past records have been broken in the number of entries of baby calves, lambs, and pigs that will be shown this year by 554 farm boys and girls from 17 states in the junior classes of the Exposition. They will exhibit 825 head of steers, lambs, and pigs of their own raising, an increase by a wide margin over any past year.

Additional Judge Named
Because of the unprecedented size of the fat cattle entry at the coming show, it is announced that two judges will officiate in place of the one man judging system followed in the past.

Two prominent Canadian cattle authorities will select the prize winners in these classes this year. W. L. Carlyle, manager of the Alberta ranch, owned by the former Prince of Wales and present Duke of Windsor, and J. Charles Yule, also of Alberta, will act in this capacity.

"The cattle entry for all divisions of the show, including both the purebred classes and steers, is at an all time record," says B. H. Heide, secretary-manager of the Exposition. Of the three principal beef breeds, the Shorthorn, Hereford, and Aberdeen-Angus, which yield a major share of the country's finest meat cuts, Shorthorns will be shown by owners from 18 states and two provinces of Canada; Herefords will come from 19 states and Canada; and Aberdeen-Angus from 22 states and Canada.

Sheep will be sent to the show from 24 states and Canada, swine from 12 states, and draft horses from 15 states and two Canadian provinces.

All railroads serving Chicago have announced specially reduced fares from many points along their lines that will be effect during the week of the Exposition.

Well Known Farmer Is Pictured in Magazine

Frank Egan of Deer Grove, who farms 320 acres in Hahnman township, with an average yield of 80 to 85 bushels of corn to the acre, is featured on the cover page of "Acres of Gold," a DeKalb agriculture publication. He is pictured Oct. 17, 1940, in a 40-acre field on the Leo J. Wahl farm, which made better than 90 bushels per acre.

A life-size picture was exhibited in the DeKalb seed corn booth at the national corn husking contest recently at Tonic, He is well known in Walnut.

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Co-Operative Sheep Enterprise



Pictured above are 40 ewes owned by George Harms, Eddy Levan, Robert Whiting, Dale Bowers and Ethel Atkinson. These boys and girl went into a sharing proposition and bought a \$50 ram from a large breeder in Ohio.

The ewes were taken over to George Harms' farm where George has kept an accurate record and spent most of his time with the ewes to watch their progress.

The ram is a yearling and very compact for his age. The main aim is to correct the defects in the project by carefully selecting the right type of ram.

The first attempt in this co-operative enterprise has not been as successful as the group would like. They have had rather poor luck as the ram has turned out to be uncertain as a breeder. However, the group plans to see the project through and hope to continue it until successful.

FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER TO POULTRY RAISERS

"You give farmers good chicks — and 90% of them will do a pretty good job of growing them."

That was the answer I got from one producer man after he read the letter I wrote you last week, telling about how the quality of the chickens throughout the middle west was generally poor.

He's putting the blame right back where a good share of it probably belongs. Surely we can't expect to have good grown birds unless we have good chicks to start with.

Another friend of mine, who has been shaking his head about what has been happening to the poultry for several years now, explains it this way:

"People got crazy for eggs. It was all they cared about. How many eggs would the chickens lay? How early would the pullets start producing? Most breeders and hatcherymen bred for egg production and for earlier and earlier maturity. And forgot about everything else."

"They're in business to give their customers what they want," I said.

"Then it's the people who buy the chicks who have been wrong for insisting on it," he told me, "because you can't keep on breeding pullets that are going to lay earlier and earlier and not lose the size of your chickens—the size of the cockerels right along with the size of the pullets. I was talking to the poultry man from one of the colleges not long ago and he told me they couldn't get the capons from the flock on the college poultry farm any bigger than 8 pounds any more. And that's capons, mind you."

A man who has both a hatchery and a produce plant out in Iowa, hearing about that remark, came back with this statement: "We bought 50 White Rock capons today that averaged just a small fraction under 10 pounds each, with the heaviest weighing 11½ pounds. We're getting another lot that has many birds over 11 pounds. They're fairly young birds, too. These capons were grown from chicks hatched from eggs that we got from our regular hatchery flocks. I think the size is largely the result of our having watched the weights of the females in the breeding flocks very closely for the past two years."

Brings Up Size by Breeding
I have another good example of what can be done by breeding.

A produce-and-hatcheryman out in Kansas has done a lot of work with the younger poultry raisers in his community through boys' and girls' poultry clubs. The last few years he has had two clubs—a White Rock club and a New Hampshire club. The White Rocks weren't as popular with the youngsters—and for a very good reason: Prizes were awarded at the end of the season for the heaviest chickens (the heaviest bird, the heaviest group of 5 cockerels, and the most weight produced from the entire lot of 30 chicks). And the White Rocks were never heavy enough to win any of the sweepstake prizes. Those prizes always went to the youngsters who had New Hampshires.

This year, however, it was a different story. The White Rocks

won all the sweepstake prizes!

"This is a direct result of our White Rock breeding program started 3 years ago," he says. "The strain of White Rocks we were using for our foundation work had a good production record, but they didn't have the size. So I arranged for a supply of hatching eggs from a breeder who paid some attention to the size of the birds as well as the number of eggs they laid. Most of our male birds last year came from this new strain and the results have been excellent." The heaviest bird weighed 8 pounds and 11 ounces, the second heaviest 7 pounds and 11 ounces, and the prize-winning group of 5 cockerels averaged over 7 pounds—at 5 months!

Make it a point when you get your next chicks to find out something about their parents and grandparents! Sincerely, FRANK PRIEBE, (Copyright, November 27, 1941, 110 North Franklin, Chicago)

4% Heavier Hogs Bringing Farmers Higher Profits

Illinois farmers have been profiting from higher priced hogs by feeding them to heavier weights than they did last year, reports E. T. Robbins, extension livestock specialist of the University of Illinois College of Agriculture.

Extra size on young market hogs has averaged about eight pounds recently, and about 15 pounds on packing sows. In each case the increase in weight is about 4 per cent.

Luxuriant fall pastures resulting from abundant rainfall have also helped to cheapen production by reducing the amount of high-protein feeds needed to balance the corn.

Many farmers promptly expanded their hog business last spring in response to the national food emergency, according to Robbins. "They were evidently in believing that the expansion would be overdone this year. While some farmers have hesitated to increase their pork production, these early operators have reaped a profit."

Further increases in numbers are expected next year by Robbins, with continued feeding to heavier weights in keeping with the strong demand for pork products.

Many Farmers Plan to Attend Annual Meeting of Credit Association

The board of directors of the Rock River Production Credit Association, serving Lee and Whiteside counties, in a recent meeting, made final arrangements to handle a large attendance of members at the annual meeting of the association to be held December 4, 1941 at the Coliseum in Sterling.

At this meeting members will have reports presented to them for the year and will elect two directors to fill expiring terms. Principal speaker of the day will be Ray E. Miller, secretary of the Production Credit Corporation of St. Louis, Mo.; V. W. Spann, secretary of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of St. Louis, Mo. will also be at the meeting.

A survey of responses to notice of the meeting indicates about a thousand Lee and Whiteside county farm folks will be in attendance.

Cattle Breeders Invited on Tours This Week End

Illinois Brown Swiss Breeders association is planning a tour and program for farmers of this area on Saturday, Nov. 29 at Freeport. Hosts will be Canton No. 2.

The program is as follows: 9:30-10:30 a. m.—Tour through Kraft Cheese plant at Freeport, one of the largest processing plants in the United States.

11:00 a. m.—Call to order by President W. E. Naffziger.

11:05 a. m.—Minutes of previous annual meeting.

11:15 a. m.—Report of Canton activities by Canton officers.

11:45 a. m.—Talk by Stephenson county Farm Advisor V. J. Banter. "Brown Swiss in Stephenson County".

12:00 Noon—Luncheon.

1:00 p. m.—Welcome by Mayor Earl Miller.

1:10 p. m.—Talk by Prof. C. S. Rhode, "Breeder Cooperation".

1:40 p. m.—Program discussion for 1942.

2:40 p. m.—Business and election.

3:00 p. m.—Adjourn.

The Stephenson County Brown Swiss Breeders' Association is inviting all Brown Swiss breeders to tour and inspect their cooperative breeding association on Friday, Nov. 28.

The schedule starts at 9:30 a. m. and extends throughout the day. Prof. C. S. Rhode from the University of Illinois will be on the tour; also Fred Idste, Secretary of the Brown Swiss Breeders' Association of America.

In the evening after the tour there will be a get-together of Brown Swiss breeders from Wisconsin and Illinois at Hotel Freeport, 6:30 p. m. Drive to Freeport Friday, November 28 for the tour and Saturday, November 29 for the annual meeting.

Tour Route
9:30 a. m.—Carlton Ruth Farm
10:15 a. m.—Harold Neuschwander Farm
11:00 a. m.—Ray Kaiser Farm
11:30 a. m.—Ray Folgate Farm
1:15 p. m.—E. J. Sullivan & Son
2:00 p. m.—William Eisenhower Farm
2:45 p. m.—Galen Clair Farm
3:30 p. m.—Perry Keltner Farm.

Federal Loans Being Made on Soybeans For the First Time

As the delayed soybean harvest moves toward completion, Dale D. Rosenkrans, Lee County AAA Chairman, reminded farmers this week that federal loans on soybeans are being made this year for the first time.

The loans are intended to enable growers to keep the beans off the market in anticipation of a possible rise in price after the rush at harvest season. Experience of recent years has taught farmers to expect a slump of soybean prices at harvest time, followed by an upward trend in the spring when beans become scarce.

As with other government crop loans, the soybean loan is made by the Commodity Credit Corporation and is a non-recourse loan. It differs from corn, wheat and cotton loans in that its primary purpose is not to bolster the price at higher than market quotations. Since few soybeans were grown during the parity base period (1909-14), the loan does not fall into the 85 per cent of parity class.

The loan is made at the rate of \$1.05 a bushel on No. 2 soybeans stored on the farm, and the rates on beans grading No. 3 and No. 4 are 2 and 4 cents less. Loans on elevator-stored beans are made at 7 cents less than the farm-storage rates for the different grades.

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Government Loans On Corn Will Be 77 Cents a Bushel

Government loans on 1941 corn in Lee County will be made at the rate of 77 cents a bushel, Dale D. Rosenkrans, County AAA Chairman announced.

Loans on ear corn will be available to eligible producers from Dec. 1, 1941 to Sept. 30, 1942, and on shelled corn beginning June 1, 1942. All loans will bear 3 per cent interest and mature on demand or before August 1, 1943.

Borrowers may deliver the corn collateral in settlement of the loan during August, September or October of next year, provided the loan was completed before April 1. This is a change from the 1940 loan rules, which required borrowers to hold the grain two years, except in cases where a tenant was ordered by his landlord to remove the corn from the crib.

However, if the farmer delivers the corn before 1943 he will not get the storage allowance which accumulates at the rate of 1/2 cent per bushel a month after Jan. 1, 1943, up to a maximum of 4 cents bushel.

Boost In Price
Accompanying the announcement of corn loan rates, was a boost in the price of government-owned corn stored in steel bins and county elevators. This corn has been selling at 68 cents a bushel in Lee county. The price has been hiked to 77 cents a bushel to conform to the loan rate.

In 1940, loans were made at 61 cents a bushel, the "flat rate" prevailing throughout the corn belt. This year for the first time, varying rates for individual counties are being used, based on average corn prices. The reason for the change, according to Mr. Rosenkrans, is to prevent a further accumulation of excessive reserve stocks in surplus areas and to encourage the storage of larger reserves in other parts of the corn belt. Corn loan rates based on past price relationships are expected to bring about the least possible interference with normal livestock operations in all parts of the corn belt and to facilitate a natural

movement of corn to normal consuming areas.

The county rates range up and down from the corn belt average rate of 74.88 cents a bushel, which is 85 cent of the parity price of corn.

Young Lee County Stock Raiser Tops Market

Chicago, — Charlie Leffelman, young Lee county stockman, of Sublette, topped the Chicago hog market in Wednesday's trading at the Chicago Stock Yards last week.

There were 24 prime butcher hogs in the consignment, all Chester Whites, averaging 257 pounds each and they sold at the day's extreme top, \$10.40 per cwt., without sorting. These hogs were highly finished and of weights wanted by top buyers.

Hogs reached an extreme top of \$10.45 per cwt. in Friday's trading which was 5 cents above the mid-week price, and compared with \$6.35 the same day a year ago, and with \$5.90 in 1939; and cattle sold at an extreme top of \$12.90 on three days, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, which was equal to the highest price paid for steers at Chicago since last July.

HUNTING ACCIDENT FATAL

Champaign, Ill., Nov. 25.—(AP)—A hunting accident on Thanksgiving Day caused the death yesterday of John Hauser, 48, Urbana postoffice employee, who died from complications following the amputation of his leg. Returning from a hunting trip, Hauser opened the door of his automobile and a loaded shotgun fell to the pavement, accidentally discharged, striking him in his leg.

FIRST PLAY

First play written and produced professionally in the United States was "The Prince of Parthia," a five-act tragedy in blank verse. It was written by Thomas Godfrey, Jr., and produced in Wilmington, N. C., in 1759.

All men in the U. S. Navy and Naval Reserve are paid twice a month. They receive no coins but are paid to the nearest dollar.

Magician



Pronk, proclaimed by many as successor to the great Houdini, who will present his entertainment, "Magic As You Like It," at the Loveland Community House here tomorrow evening at 8:00 o'clock. Pronk is not like the traditional illusionist. He is too good natured to be sardonic; too easygoing and too modest; although only 21 he carries one of the largest shows in America and has been given credit for having as much knowledge of the magic art as some of the deceased world wonders.

Pronk goes through his amazing entertainment of 1001 contrasting tricks and illusions in great good humor and seems to enjoy himself as much as the audience.

SOUTHERN BIRD

The fierce, carnivorous skua, not the penguin, is the southernmost bird on earth. This bird, which often visits 300 miles inland toward the South Pole, usually stays near the edge of the South Polar continent. It feeds on penguin eggs and chicks.

Within 4 months after enlistment, U. S. Navy recruits automatically receive a 70 per cent increase in pay and a promotion to

Local Farmer Wins County Corn Honor

DeKalb, Ill. (Special)—Nov. 25.—An outstanding corn yield of 127.55 bushels per acre has won the corn growing grand championship of Lee county for Mason Sivits in the 1941 National DeKalb hybrid corn growing contest. Officials of the biggest corn yield competition also report that over 10,000 farmers from 13 principal corn producing states were entered in this contest.

His yield is all the more remarkable when it is borne in mind that the national average this year is only 31.1 bushels per acre, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. His yield was certified for production competition by two farmer neighbors.

The county winner's corn was grown under ordinary farming conditions from DeKalb hybrid seed. In recognition of his achievement, the winner is being presented with a beautiful trophy.

Other Lee county winners who were runnersup, and who also received valuable prizes are LeRoy R. Hahn of West Brooklym, and John A. Reitz, Fred C. Wagner and George Vogeler of Ashton, Illinois.

All but 17 states now levy a tax upon individual incomes.

MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

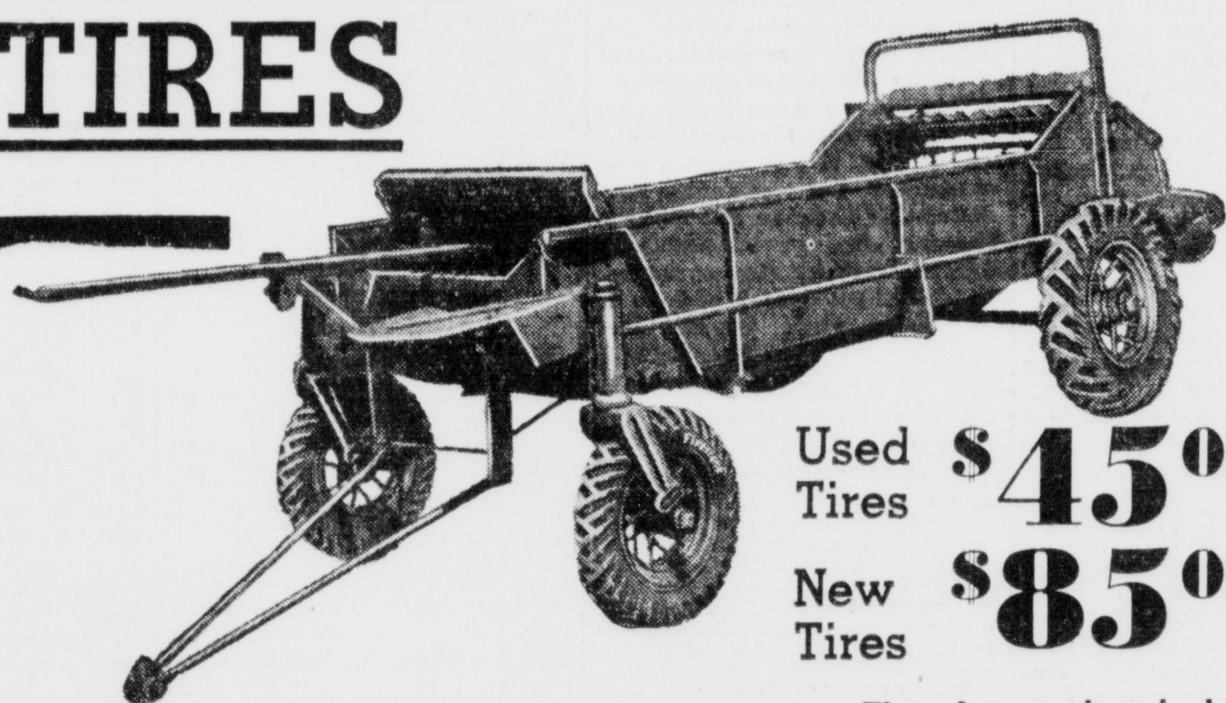
This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief

Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day. When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up at night, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

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Society News

RABBI MANN PROVES SELF A MASTERFUL ORATOR IN FIRST OF FORUM'S LECTURE SERIES

"Civilization is progress from crude paganism and barbarism to those higher reaches of the human spirit where love, sympathy and cooperation exist." Thus, Dr. Louis L. Mann, Rabbi of Sinai temple, Chicago, introduced his subject, "Civilization at the Crossroads," in the opening address of The Forum's public lecture series, last evening, at the Loveland Community House.

Rabbi Mann proved himself a masterful orator as he led his interested and approving audience of some 350 listeners into serious consideration of the present and future status of world civilization. "We take progress for granted," he stated, "assuming that each new generation will begin where the last one finished. Yet there is no such definite assurance that tomorrow will be better or even as good as today has been. Most of the great hopes of the beginning of this century; the abolition of war, the solution of the economic problem and the establishment of world culture have not been realized and in their place have come discouragement and despair."

Vast progress, he believes, has been made, however, in achieving mastery over nature, but this physical progress has not been equalled by corresponding control over human nature. Instead of the crude weapons of earlier generations, scientific progress has been employed to create weapons with which to kill from the sky above, on the earth, and down under the sea. This so-called progress, the speaker continued, may be only the creation of a giant Frankenstein, who in the end may destroy his creator.

Progress in humanitarianism has been matched by, just as much advancement in the wrong directions, the Rabbi commented. "We have mastered production, but are infants when it comes to the problem of distribution. With an abundance of goods, we are trying to recreate an economics of scarcity. In an age, for the first time in the history of mankind capable of over-production, we have actually had under-consumption."

Describing this age as one of inevitable internationalism, the speaker declared: "We are trying to resurrect an archaic nationalism. In times of peace, we prepare for war, and some people appear to be astonished when that which we have been preparing for actually comes."

"Beyond our state lies humanity," Rabbi Mann believes. Democracy, he contends is the best hope — "shall we say the last war but lost the peace. We must not make that mistake again. We are either going to have world order and world unity or we shall have chaos and a new dark age."

"In the words of Rousseau, 'Civilization begins when people get together and give up some of their liberties in order that they may have liberty.' This must be applied to nations. The achievements of man in science and economics must be used for worthy purposes or they become the means of our destruction."

During an informal discussion period, following the lecture, a series of questions from the audience were addressed to the speaker.

WA-TAN-YANS TO HAVE GUEST NIGHT

Dixon Wa-Tan-Yans are announcing a Guest Night and business meeting for Thursday evening. Dinner will be served at the Hotel Nachusa at 6:30 o'clock. Members may make reservations for themselves and their guests by calling Mrs. James Miley, R877, not later than Wednesday morning.

LINCOLN P.T. A.

Members of the Lincoln Parent-Teacher association are announcing their November meeting for 3:30 p. m. Thursday. The program is to include songs by the two third grades, and a discussion, "Outside Interests," by Esther Barton, principal of the school. Those attending are invited to bring guests.

MINNESOTA GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Thor Berg of Winona, Minn., and daughter Nancy left yesterday morning for their home, after a holiday visit with the Paul Shucks, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bates. Mrs. Berg is the former Miss Josephine Shuck of Dixon.

FROM SCARSDALE

Mrs. Walter Page of Scarsdale, N. Y., arrived in Dixon, Sunday, to spend ten days or two weeks with her mother and sister, Mrs. S. C. Burnham and Miss Edna Burnham.

PRAIRIEVILLE CIRCLE

The anniversary meeting which members of the Prairieville Social circle had planned for Wednesday at the church has been postponed for one week, until Dec. 3.

JUNIOR MUSIC CLUB IS PRESENTING GUEST NIGHT PROGRAM, THIS EVENING

A varied program, consisting of voice, accordion, bassoon, violin, flute, and piano selections, has been arranged for this evening's Guest Night meeting of the Junior Music club. Miss Helen Boyd of 907 East Fellows street, will be entertaining.

The program has been outlined as follows:

Soprano—	Obstinata	de Fontenailles
Accordion—	Helen Boyd	
	Bud Bradford, accompanist	
Bassoon—	Donna Palmer	
Aria of Marcel	Meyerbeer	
Golden Days	St. Clair	
Violin—	Loren Wilson	
Ninth Concerto	Lloyd Walter, accompanist	
Don Emmert		
Bud Bradford, accompanist		
Intermission		
Flute—	Rex Alton Fair	
Via Crucis	Lloyd Walter	
Alto—	Giordani	
Caro Mio Ben	Trudy Prewitt	
Elleen Finney, accompanist		
Piano—	Scherzo, Sonata Op. 2, No. 3	Beethoven
Marie Haefliger		

Mrs. Brewster Returns to Dixon

Mrs. Robert Brewster and her little daughter, Karen Joy, are back in Dixon, to remain with her parents, the D. E. Helmicks, for a few months until after Captain Brewster receives sailing orders and becomes established in his new location. The Brewsters arrived on Thanksgiving eve from Wilmington, N. C., and Captain Brewster returned to Camp Davis yesterday, after spending the holiday here with his parents, the D. R. Brewsters of Woonsocket, S. D., at the Helmick home here.

Troops of the 98th Regiment and their equipment are being moved to San Francisco by train, and will receive sailing orders, after their arrival on the west coast. Captain Brewster had been ordered to leave Camp Davis Dec. 1, although the day before his family came to Dixon the order was changed to read Jan. 1. Before her departure, Mrs. Brewster was complimented with a farewell party, arranged as a surprise in her honor.

The D. R. Brewsters returned to South Dakota on Saturday afternoon.

SPURGEON EMPLOYEES ARE DINNER GUESTS AT HOPKINS HOME

Employees of Spurgeon's store were entertained with a fried chicken dinner last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hopkins at Walnut. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Jr., Mrs. Loretta Anders, Mrs. Fay Dockery, Mrs. Margaret Cleary, and Miss Anna Marie Blackburn of Dixon, Miss Marian Mau, and Miss Louella Hopkins of Harmon.

ENTERTAIN FOR CORPORAL PONTIUS

Mrs. Minnie Eastman entertained at breakfast this morning for relatives and friends, honoring Corp. William L. Pontius of Fort Francis Warren, Cheyenne, Wyo. This evening Mrs. O. S. Stevens will be hostess at dinner for Corporal Pontius, who leaves at midnight for Wyoming, following a ten-day furlough. Others in the party this evening will be Mrs. Addie Eastman, Mrs. Minnie Eastman, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pelton.

ENTERTAINS AT RECEPTION

Mrs. H. U. Bardwell of 612 East Second street entertained Saturday evening with a reception at her home. Receiving were Mrs. Bardwell and her son and daughter-in-law, Atty. and Mrs. William Bardwell of Barrington, and Mrs. Magdalen Masten of Madison, Wis. Mrs. Douglas Shaw of Chicago, Mrs. Ben T. Shaw, Mrs. Theodore Fuller and Mrs. Robert E. Shaw poured.

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Winnie Hoveler Is Subject of Feature Story

Considerable space was devoted to Winnie Hoveler, a top-flight dancer of the cafe world, and former member of the summer theatre troupe in Grand Detour, in a feature story on "The Private Lives of Dancing Girls," appearing in the Chicago Tribune on Sunday.

Miss Hoveler, who owns two shows and appears in her own line at a night club, will be well-remembered by many summer theatre-goers of the Rock river valley for her excellent performances at Illini hall in Grand Detour a year ago. Excerpts from the Chicago columnist's comments follow:

Winnie is 23, looks 18, and has done more things since graduating from Lake View high school than most girls experience in a lifetime. At the time of the Chicago Century of Progress, she got a job in 'Neptune's Follies.' Following the fair, she got a job in Vaudeville with Ernie Young, running about the country in one-night stands.

The next year, she and her sister, Audrey, joined the Hagenbeck-Wallace circus. They rode elephants in the opening parade, performed aerial feats on swinging ladders, put dancing horses through their paces, and got in hours of practice on the trapeze, bareback riding, and tight-wire walking. But one day, Winnie forgot to fasten the safety catch when she hung by one foot from a loop on her swinging ladder. She just managed to grasp the last rung on the way down.

A few days later, Audrey, riding in the wild west display, almost sustained a broken leg when the flag she was carrying tangled with a tent pole. The girls decided to go back to dancing.

They toured with another vaudeville unit, playing the Palace, Showtown, Uptown, and Chicago theaters in Chicago. Then they went out on a series of engagements at county fairs, with Winnie in charge of 20 girls.

Soon afterward, Winnie formed her own company, planning the dances and teaching her girls the routines. Audrey sketched the costumes, and their mother, Mrs. Ruth Hoveler, cut and sewed them. Last week, Winnie's second troupe opened a Chicago engagement—but she says she's just beginning.

Like all midwestern dancers, Winnie has one eye on Hollywood, and the other on the New York stage. She has had bids from both places, and Paramount has offered a screen test, but Winnie thinks she should put away some extra dramatic experience first. So she's planning to take special subjects at the Goodman theater this winter.

During the first week at the straw hat theater at Grand Detour, they let her take tickets. Then someone decided that maybe she could act, and soon Winnie was playing ingenues and leads.

"Dancing today utterly different from 20 years ago when Zeigfeld was glorifying the American girl and Earl Carroll's dinner guests gave a chorine a champagne bath," the columnist states. "Then any pretty girl could satisfy the customers with a one-two-three kick and too few clothes. There were gold diggers then, and there was gold to be dug, and few girls of the line had two thoughts to jiggle together when time hung heavy."

FROM HOT SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. George Beier returned to Dixon last evening, after a week's stay in Hot Springs, Ark.

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ATTEND DeMEY-SCHREINER BRIDAL

Mrs. Alice Beede, Mrs. George Huyett, and Mrs. Irene Fenton of Dixon, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brink and son Jack of Amboy were among out of town guests attending the wedding of Miss Bethel Schreiner and Marshall DeMey, Saturday afternoon at Hope Evangelical church in Chadwick.

The bride, a niece of Mrs. Huyett, was dressed in white brocade satin. Miss Dorothy Schreiner was her sister's maid of honor, and another sister, Jean, played the wedding march.

A reception was held at the church, followed by a wedding supper at the home of the bride's parents, the W. J. Schreiners. The couple will reside in Prophetstown, where the bridegroom is employed by the Clipper Lawn Mower company.

MOTHERS' CLUB

Members of the Mothers' club will meet in the ladies' lounge of the Loveland Community House at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.

NORTH SIDE CLUB

Members of the North Side bridge club were luncheon guests of Miss Franc Ingraham yesterday.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Warner will be entertaining at dinner Wednesday evening.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Edna Nattress spent today in Chicago.

Miss Patay Alexander has returned to Northwestern university in Evanston, after a visit at her home here.

Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Moore spent Thursday in Chicago, taking dinner at Heidelberg Rest.

Mrs. W. G. Murray went to Chicago this morning to spend a couple of days.

Postmaster Charles Kelley of Franklin Grove was a Dixon business visitor last evening.

Mrs. Arthur J. Palmer who has been visiting her father W. C. Jones and other relatives for the past ten days, returned to her home in New York City today.

R. C. Gross of Franklin Grove was in Dixon yesterday afternoon on business.

John Vogt and Dorsey Buck of Franklin Grove were Dixon business callers yesterday.

Pvt. and Mrs. Bud McClanahan, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Currens and son and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Currens of Nachusa were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Swartz of Franklin Grove. Private McClanahan, who spent the past week with Mrs. McClanahan at the home of her parents, left Sunday evening for Chicago, where he is attending an aeronautical school at the University of Chicago.

Seminars for Foremen in Illinois Scheduled

Chicago, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin factory foremen are going back to school.

Leaders of the OPM training in industry program said yesterday they were planning a series of seminars in the three states for instruction in the training of skilled workers which the foremen will be able to apply to their own plants.

The plan started in New Jersey where 7,000 training leaders already have completed the course.

The program does not compete with either the technical schools or the pre-employment training offered by job placement offices, the officials said.

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Musical Tea

The advanced class of piano students gave the annual musical tea at the home of the instructor, Miss Helen Phelps, Seventh avenue and Ninth street, on Sunday afternoon. The mothers were the special guests of the girl students at the program which began at three o'clock. Included in the musical numbers were several two-piano presentations. Those participating were: Lois Lindsey, Shirley and Phyllis Ravnaas, Ramona Van Reenen, Marilyn Brennan, Maribeth Eber, Roberta Hanson, Helen Ritchie and Ruth Stangley. Besides the mothers, other out-of-town guests included Mrs. William Rainey of Elgin, Miss Ella Ebersole and Mrs. Peter Dietz (the former Gladys Grothe) of Rock Falls. Very lovely and tasty refreshments were served during tea.

Official Opening

Decoration of the downtown business section of the city, and the interior of the stores is already under way in some stores, and ready to begin in others. Officially, all will be completed by next Wednesday, Dec. 3, when at a given signal at 7 o'clock p. m. all windows will be unveiled and lit up for public enjoyment and approval. It is expected that the downtown streets will be crowded with both city and rural residents, meeting in the spirit of the season to witness this lovely sight.

A special invitation has been sent to Santa Claus to be in Rochelle that evening, Dec. 3. The shopping privilege will end at 6:30 p. m., sharp, on Christmas Eve, in order that employees of the stores may spend this holy evening with their own families.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Unangst and son Paul, entertained out-of-town relatives at their home on Lincoln avenue on Thanksgiving Day. The big turkey dinner had the full approval of Harry Hene of Chicago.

Mrs. Ida Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith.

Mrs. Harry Brough and daughter Betty returned Saturday from New York City where they had been sight-seeing and visiting since Tuesday with a nephew (and cousin) from England who is stationed here for a short time.

The May and December division of the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church, held the final luncheon of the year today (Tuesday) at one o'clock at the home of Mrs. Henry T. Miller, 1016 Lincoln highway.

The Sunday school teachers' study group will meet next Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Heron at 327 North Twelfth street. All teachers are expected to attend, and others interested in Sunday school teaching are invited.

Despite spotty weather, a total of more than 1000 bombers left England to raid Europe in five consecutive nights recently, according to RAF reports.

Red Cross Total Reaches \$426 in Lee County Drive

With additional memberships in the Red Cross today, the present total in the current roll call for Lee county has reached \$426, according to the daily report of Miss Elizabeth Buckaloo, roll call secretary.

Workers in the county and city have been urged by Chairmen J. Fred Hofmann and Mrs. H. F. Walder to complete their work as soon as possible and report to Miss Buckaloo at the Chamber of Commerce building.

Additional memberships reported today are as follows:

Joe Villiger	1.00
Dr. E. A. Clevidence	1.00
Dixon National Bank	16.00
Employees	16.00
State Highway Employees	24.00
Reynolds Wire Co.	114.00
North Central Schools	16.00
A Friend	10.00
Compton Village	125.50
Lee Center Village	48.00
South Dixon Township	39.50
A & P Super Market	14.00
Manhattan Restaurant	1.00
Tony's Soda Grill	1.00
Glassburn Garage	1.00
James E. Bales	1.00
Contribution	1.10
Mrs. Frank Emmert	1.00
Mrs. O. F. Goeke	1.00
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Mrs. G. S. Parks50
R. H. Scales	1.00
Mrs. A. L. Palmer	1.00
Mrs. Ralph Ferguson	1.00
Mrs. S. R. Heindel	1.00
Mrs. J. P. Peterson	1.00
Mrs. Charles Richards	1.00
Miss Bess Pankhurst	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kling	4.00

Thirteen More Plead Guilty to Lottery

New York, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Thirteen more persons, including five Illinoisans, entered guilty pleas in Federal court in what the government called a \$1,250,000 counterfeit sweepstakes lottery. Previously, 33 persons had pleaded guilty in the case.

Federal Judge John W. Clancy yesterday said Dec. 2 for the trial of 87 others named in the same indictment, which alleges conspiracy to defraud the public.

Eleven of the thirteen who entered guilty pleas yesterday were given suspended sentences of six months or a year and a day and placed on probation.

Among them were Ed Blankenberg of Danville, Ill.; John B. Allen, Salem, Ill.; Sankey B. Hart, Centralia, Ill.; and Lloyd I. Baker of Calumet City, Ill.

Sentencing of the other two entering guilty pleas, one of whom was a Chicagoan, was postponed until after completion of the trial of the other defendants.

Mothers! The U. S. Navy will give your sons \$1500 worth of free education and pay them a salary at the same time.

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A Thought For Today

The Lord giveth wisdom: out of his mouth cometh knowledge and understanding.—Proverbs 2:6.

Whoever is not too wise is wise.—Martial.

"A Little Inflation"

Certain government monetary experts and not a few of the private economists are being quoted by writers to the effect that the inflation, against which critics of the New Deal's spending theories have inveighed, is now here.

Facing this situation are a few congressmen who say a little inflation probably will be a good thing. Administration leaders are said to be desirous of taking steps to head off the inflation—in case it has not arrived—or to keep it under control, in case it is here.

The average American, having never lived through a disastrous period of inflation, looks upon the prospect with little trepidation. He takes little note of the different forms inflation may take and imagines he will pull through in some manner.

In fact, some who owe money are so unorthodox as to hope for inflation. It is to this group the so-called debtor class—that this editorial is addressed. Without hunting too long, it is possible to find many men who owe more than they possess, but who could not in any manner be charged with the taint of intentional bankruptcy. It is easy to get in the condition of owing more than you can pay easily even by the sale of all your assets.

One man, for example, may owe \$5,000 on his residence, \$100 to his physician, \$200 in current bills owing to merchants, and \$200 on his automobile. At forced sales, residences have a habit of not selling for enough to liquidate the investment. Assets obtained from the physician and local merchants are not readily convertible into cash. The car may or may not sell for the balance due. The man owes \$5,500, and might be lucky to raise \$5,000 in cash. His chief assets are his job and character.

Such a man might welcome inflation. He would reason thus: "If we have inflation, my salary might be doubled. Whereas I am now able to save \$20 a week to pay on debts, I would then be able to pay \$40 a week on debts, and clear myself in half the time. If the inflation really gets enormous, I might have my salary multiplied five times, and be able to pay as much as \$100 a week on debts. Boy! Wouldn't that be something? Bring on your old inflation!"

This gentleman overlooks nearly all the factors that make inflation undesirable, and enlarges all the

factors which cause a few congressmen to say a little inflation might be a good thing. The fact is that although inflationary proceedings always have been favored by the debtor class, governments do not undertake the process purely to help the debtors. Governments inflate to help themselves, because they collect revenue, on their own terms, from both debtors and creditors. Only governments are able to play both ends against the middle. The debtor who welcomes inflation imagines vainly he can play both ends against the middle when, in fact, he himself is one of the ends to be played by somebody else.

The debtor who imagines his salary will be raised five-fold overlooks the fact that he may have to pay \$50 a week, instead of \$10, for groceries; \$25 a pair, instead of \$5, for shoes; \$150, instead of \$30 for a suit of clothes, and \$2,500 for a completely new heating system for his house, instead of only \$500. And he overlooks the fact that his salary increases will lag behind prices while his employer is fighting to make the adjustments needed before the salaries can be enlarged. Above all, the debtor who welcomes inflation overlooks the fact that if he was unable to keep out of debt in normal times, he also will be unable to keep out of debt during inflation—and his debts will be larger when the thing collapses.

Governments which dishonestly try to prevent bankruptcy by means of inflation are able to make money as free as water, and almost of as little monetary value. But the government is the only power which can take a bit of worthless, unsecured paper, and call it a dollar. And government can force its creditors to accept these bits of paper.

The common man has no such advantage. He pays his debts with what he produces.

Let's Not Talk About It

Diplomatic correspondence is a fearful and wonderful thing. It has become both more fearful and more wonderful since 1939.

Take the German reply to a series of notes from South American countries protesting that the wholesale and random shooting of hostages is a brutal and barbarous thing.

The Nazi answer was that it "does not wish to receive oral or written observations of third states on this question."

In short, there is no answer, so there is no use in trying to make one. Mexico and the other protesters are told "Let's not talk about it; it's none of your business anyway."

Which is, we suppose, about as good a way as any to answer the unanswerable.

In Arizona a man fired three shots in a crowded courtroom without hurting anything but the wild west reputation.

We must never underwrite the error of the democracies—too little and too late.—Rear Admiral Harvey G. Bowen.

There really are men who run things in their own homes—furnaces and washing machines.

The wild boar of India attacks without provocation—as does the tame bore of America.

One of the best ways to keep a friendship is to return it.

Problems of State and Nation Before Convention of IAA

27th Annual Meeting of Association Under Way in Capital

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 25.—(AP)—The problems of farmers resulting from the war and national defense will be discussed at the four-day 27th annual meeting of the Illinois Agricultural Association which got under way today.

In addition to inflation of produce prices due to war-time demands and the spectre of dropping prices and a dwindling foreign market after the war, discussions at the annual meeting will deal with such state issues as school surveys and reorganization of school districts, the proposed state constitutional amendment to exempt foods from the sales tax, and bus and truck weights.

Today and tomorrow were to be given over to conferences and annual meetings of cooperatives and groups affiliated with the IAA, and there will be four general sessions Thursday and Friday in the state armory.

Association officials said approximately 5,000 IAA members were expected to attend the meetings.

Coincidental Meetings

Being held today were the annual meetings of the Illinois Farm Bureau Serum Association and the Illinois Agricultural Auditing Association, the latter to be addressed by Howard Leonard, state director of agriculture. Also on the program was the annual luncheon for Farm Bureau presidents and farm advisers.

Tomorrow's program includes meetings of the Illinois Agricultural Holding Company, the Farmers Mutual Reinsurance Company, Illinois Wool Marketing Association, Illinois Milk Producers Association, Illinois Grain Corporation, Illinois Cooperative Locker Service, Rural Youth Conference, Illinois Agricultural Mutual Insurance Company, Illinois Producers' Creameries, Illinois Livestock Marketing Association, Illinois Egg Producers Association and the Country Life Insurance Company.

Earl Smith, president of the IAA for 16 years, will open the general sessions Thursday. Edward A. O'Neal, president of the IAA for 16 years, will open the general sessions Thursday. Edward A. O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, will be the featured speaker Friday, his scheduled discussion topic "Farm Bureau Responsibilities."



By George B. Anderson

Business right now is doing a grand job, finding substitutes for materials and manufactured items that are needed in defense. It is developing new items to replace existing ones, and some of the new things are better than the items they've replaced.

The business world is moving rapidly, and the day-to-day changes are more than most people could keep pace with—if it weren't for advertising.

Business is not only letting the world know what it's doing, but is acquainting the buying public with the whole story.

Through advertising, you and I know what's going on and why. We know how each change will affect us. Our buying habits are being altered in some channels—but they aren't being shackled.

That's important to us and to the welfare of the nation. Despite any defense program of any possible magnitude, business must continue to function. It must not only continue to produce, but it must continue to sell. Sales are the only logical sources from which the government can levy the cost of the defense program.

Advertising is a sales program. Right now, advertising is being molded to fit new selling conditions and opportunities.

One fundamental thing about it remains unchanged. Its success now as always depends upon the benefits it can offer the reading public. Regardless of world conditions, if advertising can offer us anything that seems beneficial to us, we'll be interested.

Enough of us being interested, enough of us will buy to keep retail sales at a proper level—and "business as usual" is the finest national defense we can have.

CHILE'S PRESIDENT DIES

Santiago, Chile, Nov. 25.—(AP)—President Pedro Aguirre Cerda of Chile, who had headed South America's first and only popular front government, died today.

He had turned over the powers of the presidency temporarily to Geronimo Mendez, leader of the radical party, on Nov. 10 because of failing health.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, Nov. 24.—The British Libyan assault is accomplishing more than the ground gained.

It has now been learned that just before the drive started, Herr Hitler ardently appealed to Mussolini to send five more Italian divisions to the Russian front. What Der Fuehrer told Il Duce about the Nazi position on the Russian front was considerably less confident than the tone of the recent Berlin announcements. Hitler used every pressure on his Italian so-called ally.

But Mussolini's generals had the audacity to turn the Nazis down. They said they feared attack on the Libyan front and an ensuing grave threat to the Italian mainland itself. As a result, all the active military help Hitler is going to get out of Italy this winter is the three token divisions already fighting (more or less) on the Red battlefield.

The allies thus won an unrecorded signal victory before the British started into the desert.

Another revealing account of inner axis troubles has reached authorities here.

The British seized considerably more than 100,000,000 lire from their conquest of Ethiopia and the invasion of Libya. This Italian currency was in banking and commerce of the two Italian colonies. The British thought the seized currency could best be used for the conquest of Switzerland. This was done, but practically all of it was secretly bought—not by Mussolini or the Swiss—but by the "ally" of Italy, Her Hitler himself.

All this money and more from the same Swiss sources has been used by the Nazis to buy up everything loose and edible in hungry Italy. Mussolini was forced to close the stores for a two-week holiday, with the excuse that the merchants were taking stock. Heavier rationing had to be imposed.

Thus Germany has been stealing food from the meager table of Little Fimbochio. Official figures show available in governmental quarters here suggest the extent of the robbery, as follows:

First six months this year, Germany's output of bell-lightened Italy 242,000,000 pounds of vegetables (nearly twice as much as the 150,000,000 pounds of 1938); 87,560,000 pounds of fresh fruits (three times as much); 18,460,000 gallons of wine and vermouth (six times the 1938 quantity).

At this rate, the British will not have to defeat the Italians. Hitler will do it.

Best explanation of John L. Lewis' change of mind is the character of the chosen arbiter, John R. Steelman. As head of the conciliation service in Miss Perkins' labor department, Steelman has built up probably the only unclouded government department. His reputation for judicial fairness, as well as political diplomacy, is accepted in every labor quarter. Every minor knows it better than the public, because Steelman's conciliating exploits have necessarily been private. Lewis could not voluntarily refuse Roosevelt's offer of Steelman as judge.

A compromise is expected.

Top defense man Donald Nelson read the Wall Street Journal item suggesting he might get out before the first of the year and said: "That fellow Duffield (head of the WSP bureau here) keeps his ear pretty close to the ground."

The observation has sponsored inner expectations that Nelson is going back to mail ordering for Sears-Roebuck, but he probably will go only a fraction of that distance. He really intends to give up only half of his defense job, the least important half as Director of Priorities for OPM. He will no doubt continue in the big post as head of SPAB, controlling allocations.

The situation points again to the hushed-up condition of the defense setup. Nelson is not a member of SPAB, only its executive director, to carry out its decisions. He is a member of SPAB, who are supposed to be running defense, are members. When they and the rest of SPAB make decisions, Nelson issues orders to them to carry out the decisions.

Or, (making the setup even less understandable) Price-Administrator, Without Authority, Leon Henderson, has three jobs. He is a member of SPAB, he is a member of SPAB, and he is a member of SPAB. He is a member of SPAB, who are supposed to be running defense, are members. When they and the rest of SPAB make decisions, Nelson issues orders to them to carry out the decisions.

It all works like the swiftly thrashing hands of a half-dozen mechanics doing the same card trick. The remarkable thing is that they do not more often get their thumbs entangled with each other's cards.

Happy Birthday

NOVEMBER 23
Andrew M. Smith, Mrs. Catherine McCaffrey, Amboy.

NOVEMBER 26
Walter E. Fallstrom, Mrs. William Gillan, Amboy; Eunice Smith, Mrs. A. Robert Meyer, route 4; Alice Merlo, Amboy; Lorna Witmer, Arthur Ladenburger, West Brooklyn; Raymond Vincent, West Brooklyn; Homer Berry Williams, Ashton; Bernadine Brickley, Amboy.

Stoker Tells Story Of Efforts to Save Britain's Ark Royal

Great Aircraft Carrier Sinks After Hit By Enemy U-Boat

London, Nov. 24.—(AP)—The grim story of six volunteers who braved an inferno of fumes and fire in an effort to save a navy's pride and a captain who clambered down from his sinking ship, "hand over hand like a monkey," was told today by the chief stoker of the Ark Royal, torpedoed British aircraft carrier.

The captain was L. E. Maund, last man to leave the carrier after a futile 12-hour fight to keep her afloat.

The stoker told how Maund, with a spotlight playing on him and a handful of the ship's crew cheering him from a rescue tug, "came down the ship's side, hand over hand like a monkey, his face grim at the prospect of losing his ship and he hauled him aboard the tug."

The three-year-old, \$16,000,000 warship, third to bear the name Ark Royal in the British navy, was torpedoed late in the afternoon of Nov. 14 and sank early the following morning just a few miles off Gibraltar.

At the time Capt. Maund left her, she had a list of 24 degrees and the lower edge of her great flight deck was just two feet from the surface of the water, the stoker said.

Hope to Last

From the time the torpedo crashed into her side at 4 o'clock the previous afternoon, he said, the ship's company did everything "possible to save her 'and up to the last we thought we could.'"

"With six volunteers, I got personal permission to go below to try and get up steam," he related. "We shut off the stops and made the ship water tight. We raised steam and got eight pumps working and managed to decrease the list from 19 to 17 degrees."

"It was hell below. We rigged lines to hold up against the list. But after a while it was apparent she was slowly going over. Finally we had to shut down because oil was over everything, fires were raging and the fumes were fierce."

"I sent my volunteers up, one by one. Finally I was left alone. The lights went out, I was three decks down. I don't know how I managed to get through the hatches. I passed out cold just as I dragged up on the slanting flight deck."

"I stood by the Ark when she was a building and served throughout her life—three years, nine months. It's a terrible time to see a great ship die."

Industrial Battles Will Follow War

New York.—(The Special News Service)—Get your ringside seats now, ladies and gentlemen. Step this way to see the big post war battle of the industries!

Watch new materials grapple with the old! See steel and plastics fight for the favor of the automobile industry; watch aluminum, that famous lightweight, give them both the old one-two!

See new products wrestle with the old in a death struggle for the consumers' dollar! And in the side arena, watch big cargo airplanes give the railroads a tussle for long haul freight!

The post war period may not live up to this expansive billing but if it even comes close to predictions now being made in top business circles it will be quite a sight to see.

Foresighted executives anticipate a tremendous struggle for markets.

New products have been developed.

New materials have been perfected.

Output of metals and other raw materials has been tremendously increased. Big new plants have slashed costs of producing them and have stirred dreams of huge new markets.

Aluminum, steel, copper, zinc and plastics will be looking for new fields to conquer. Already they are peering over the fence into each other's backyards looking for new uses to grab the moment the conflict ends.

The rubber companies and glass mills of the middle west are itching for a good crack at the textile business to exploit their new fibres. New competitors for nylon are ready.

Preparations by individual companies to cushion any post war slump are amazing. Many have taken several top men and assigned them to the sole task of developing new products. Vice president in charge of the future has become a real position in company parlance.

Church Societies

W. C. O. F.—Members of the Women's Catholic Order of Foresters will meet at 7:45 o'clock Friday evening in the Knights of Columbus hall.

Hold Everything



"No, not service stripes, sir—I leaned against a freshly painted picket fence."

Defense Officials Promise to Assist Illinois Business

Give Assurance to Gov. Green in Washington Conference Monday

Washington, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Gov. Dwight H. Green today had the assurance of government officials that little business in Illinois would not be permitted "to go by the boards because it hasn't the material to work with."

The governor and a delegation of Illinois congressmen and others heard the assurances yesterday at a luncheon from Donald M. Nelson, Director of Priorities for the Office of Production Management.

A second speaker at the luncheon, Floyd B. Odum, head of the OPM contract division, said he hoped to bring the state up to its share of defense contracts based on its size and ability to produce.

Governor Green expressed satisfaction with the results of the meeting and said he expected to confer informally with members of the Illinois congressional group today before leaving for Springfield.

At the luncheon were Murray W. Baker, Peoria, vice president of the Illinois State Council of Defense; Carter Jenkins of Springfield, secretary of the council; A. F. Shafter, Decatur manufacturer; House Minority Leader Joseph W. Martin of Massachusetts, Senator Scott Lucas, and seventeen members of the Illinois delegation in the house.

Asserting "you can't have a sound nation without small business," Nelson said to allow such business to fail because of inability to obtain materials would be "defeating the very thing this defense program is intended for."

"The problem is one of equitable distribution of what we have," he said, but added:

"We haven't anywhere near enough of a stock-pile of material for the defense program."

He said examiners for the Federal Trade Commission were investigating reports that some industries had super-normal supplies of strategic material on hand. He added that not all the material shortages threatening to harm small business were in the so-called strategic materials.

Odum said Illinois was still short of its normal quota of defense contracts and added he hoped to bring the state up to its share.

Lodges

Elks — Dixon Elks will participate in the first rummy contest at the club house Thursday evening, play starting at 8 o'clock. Prizes will be awarded the winners and refreshments will be served.

Monday evening, Dec. 1 the Elks Ladies Auxiliary are sponsoring a public card party at the club house, play to start at 8 o'clock. This event is expected to attract a large attendance and arrangements are being made to accommodate a large crowd.

Royal Neighbors — The social meeting which Royal Neighbors had planned for Thursday evening at the William Dauntler home has been postponed indefinitely.

Andrew Johnson was the only tailor ever to be president of the United States.

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Returning Two to Ottawa for Trial

Gulfport, Miss., Nov. 25.—(AP)—State's Attorney Taylor Wilhelm and Sheriff E. J. Welter of LaSalle county, Ill., were returning today to Illinois with two men indicted by a LaSalle county grand jury on charges of defrauding Illinois investors in the sale of Mississippi tung oil growers.

Gov. Paul Johnson issued fugitive warrants for the prisoners, S. E. Stewart and Arthur McElmurray, who were indicted Oct. 18 on the charge of defrauding two Illinois women of \$13,500 in a confidence game.

Wilhelm said other Illinois investors had lost more than \$500,000 in similar frauds which still were under investigation. Others indicted with Stewart and McElmurray were Harold E. and William S. Livermore and George Vaseen.

The indictments charged that the land had been sold upon representation that it would yield rich returns in tung oil, a product used in the manufacture of paints and varnishes.

Wilhelm said Mrs. Fannie Barber of Sheridan invested \$12,000 in the transactions on which the indictments were based, and Mrs. Emma Hazeman, also of LaSalle county, invested \$1,500.

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)
39 YEARS AGO
Rev. J. G. M. Hursh of Cairo has accepted a call to fill the pulpit at the South Dixon Lutheran church. The Rev. J. Fort Newton will deliver the annual Elks memorial service at the Universalist church Sunday, Dec. 7.

A union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Baptist church Thursday morning, the Rev. S. S. Crow of the Presbyterian church delivering the sermon.

25 YEARS AGO
The Elks annual fair opens this evening at Rosbrook's hall, the Marquette orchestra furnishing the music.

Thomas Erwin was painfully injured at school Friday afternoon when he was struck in the eye with a small stone thrown by a playmate.

Detour containing four new automobiles and two used cars was totally destroyed by fire of unknown origin last evening.

10 YEARS AGO
Mark Brown dug new potatoes from his garden this morning which were as big as hen's eggs.

A marriage license has been issued to Henry C. Mossholder and Miss Mabel Irene McKay, both of Dixon.

Births

GEIGLE—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Geigle at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital Nov. 22, a son.

SHIPPET—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Shippert of Franklin Grove, a daughter, November 23.

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SERIAL STORY

LADY BY REQUEST

BY HELEN R. WOODWARD

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THE STORY: "I don't like it," says Mr. Tucker, farmer father of beautiful, red-headed Diana, when she comes home to tell him that famous Stephen Curt, writer and commentator, has asked her to marry him for six months and \$10,000 so that he can save a \$250,000 inheritance he will lose unless he weds before he is 35. "I don't like it, but we will see when I meet him," Diana, freed from her job in a law office in the city after retaining advances from her employer, Richard Thorpe, is seriously considering the offer because Stephen has told her that the woman he loves is married to another man, and because she does not want to leave the city, return to the farm, peruse marry Bill Jackson whom she does not love. Stephen is coming down to meet her family the next day. Diana already having met his stepmother, Ellen Curt. That night Mr. Tucker, flattered to Stephen's broadcast, expresses again his admiration for the man.

STEPHEN MEETS THE FAMILY

CHAPTER VII

ON Tuesday afternoon Diana walked down to Bill Jackson's store at the cross-roads. Her mother had gone off to a missionary meeting at the church and she had become so bored with her own company that she could stand it no longer.

Bill greeted her effusively. "Well, this is an honor. Take the chair by the fire."

He puttered about making her comfortable, hanging up her coat and hat. Diana laughed. "I haven't come to stay a week, you know, Bill."

"Now that I've got you here I won't be letting you go soon." She glanced about at the orderly shelves. There was a little of everything in Bill's store. A "general" store, it was called. Canned goods, produce, hams, dry goods, thread, fishing tackle, overalls—the people of the countryside could buy almost anything they needed here. Bill was an excellent storekeeper—genial, friendly, talkative. They all liked him. He was one of them. And Diana knew that the business was slowly but surely making him wealthy.

As she sat by the fire, she watched the customers come and go. She knew most of them and they all called greetings to her. They were interested to know why she was home, when she was going back. "It's not curiosity," Diana thought, "just friendly interest."

During the lulls in business, Bill came and sat beside her and talked. He spoke interestingly and well. You'd think he'd had a lot more than a high school education. That was because he read so much and kept abreast of the times. They laughed about things that happened when they were in

school. He told her about some of the boys and girls that she'd lost track of. He was in his element here in his own domain. Any constraint that had been present in his manner the night before had completely vanished. Here Bill Jackson was king.

FINALLY he stood looking down at her, his eyes earnest and intent, his mouth a little grim at the corners. She saw a pulse beating nervously in his brown throat.

"I don't suppose it's much use to say it again, Diana, but you know I love you."

"Thank you, Bill. I cherish that. But you're right. It's no use. I'm sorry."

She saw his shoulders droop and was terribly sorry for him. "Oh, Bill, why does it have to be like that between us? It's so pleasant just being friends with you—like this afternoon. Why don't you fall in love with someone who likes this sort of life and will make you a good, contented wife?"

He said, his jaw tightening. "You know anyone else after you would be like twilight after a lovely sunset."

She was touched and the quick tears came. "That was a beautiful thing to say, Bill. But you've got to get over me. You can't go on like this always—hoping—because I'm afraid I'll never really love you like you want me to. You see, there's something—I can't tell you just yet."

"You're in love with someone else?"

"No—it's not that."

"Then you can't stop me from hoping."

Later Joey Cowan, the boy who helped in the store, came in to relieve Bill and he walked home with Diana, stayed for supper. They

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Attend Conference

Principal O. W. Funkhouser, Clem Thompson and James Domietta, teachers at the A. T. H. S., attended the Rock River Athletic conference held at Polo on Monday evening.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Funkhouser were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Houser on Thanksgiving day.

Faculty Club

The Faculty club will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Holt.

Sunday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Full and daughter Rosetta and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Full and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Full of Dixon. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. William B. Oester, son Delmar and daughter Ruth of Walton; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Drewitz and daughter Sandra, James Liston of Clinton, Ia., James Graham and Shires Miller.

Thanksgiving Day Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Nowe and daughter Nancy entertained the following guests at their home on Thanksgiving day: Mrs. Helen Nowe, Mrs. Emory Cutts, Mrs. F. L. Childs, Edmund Childs, Mr. and Mrs. James Snok, Mr. and Mrs. N. Munson and daughter Carol, all of Lee; Miss Catherine Munson of Aurora; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wornland of Leland, and Miss Gladys Barrett of Joliet.

Broke Toe in Fall

Miss Jeanne Long who was spending the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Long, slipped on the front steps when leaving for church on Thanksgiving morning and suffered a broken toe. She will be confined to her home for a short time before being able to resume her work in Rockford.

Brady's Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brady entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Morrissey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Long and family, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Brady and two daughters of Joliet, Mrs. Paul Reilly and daughter Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fry and children of Dixon, Miss Mary Burke and Miss Rita Brady of Chicago, on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meeks entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed Biel of La Salle; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wedlock and children; Mrs. Jeanette Murray and daughter and Helen Meeks of Dixon on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Rita Brady spent Thanksgiving day and the week end with her parents. She returned to work in Chicago on Monday. Miss Alice Donnelly who was in the city taking a civil service examination, returned to Amboy with her.

Early December Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. George Hilbert announced the coming marriage of their daughter Betty Groth, Dec. 1, to Frank Spinnuza of Shabbona. The marriage will take place in Chicago on Monday, Dec. 1. Mr. and Mrs. Spinnuza will make their home in Chicago after the ceremony.

Thanksgiving Day Guests

Mr. and Mrs. George Hilbert entertained the following guests on Thanksgiving day: George, Herman, Rita, Harold and Vivian Hilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hilbert of Rochelle, Amelia Shaw and daughters Dorothy Kathleen and Beverly, Mary Anderson and children Carolyn and John, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Englebrecht and children Shirley, Gene, Wanda and Robert of West Brookline, Miss Marion Miller of Franklin Grove.

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Betty Grove of Hinkley and Frank Spinnuza of Shabbona.

Mrs. George Sturtz is quite ill at her home. Her sister, Mrs. Frank Brooks is caring for her.

Will Smith and daughter Florence entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and children on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Gladys Barrett of Joliet spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Nowe and daughter Nancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ankney entertained the following guests on Thanksgiving day: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. King, Miss Lois Brewer and Clarence Derr, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ditsch, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Potts, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Potts and Mr. and Mrs. John Ankney and family of Dixon and Miss Jean Burhenn.

Leon Barlow spent Thanksgiving day visiting his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vaupe and family at Ashton. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Clark and son Ronnie of La Grange were guests also.

Honor Canada Guest

Mrs. Catherine Hammond and daughter Rosemary entertained the following out of town guests among other Amboy relatives at dinner on Sunday in honor of Mrs. McDonald of Bowden, Alberta, Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Oh Sann and son Marvin Dean and Miss Marion Delaney of Clinton, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lindhurst of Ramsey and Jack Elliott of Chicago.

Mrs. John Rosenberg and baby son John Frances of Ashton visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Mynard.

Morris Buchman of St. Louis spent Thanksgiving day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pankhurst enjoyed their Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tarrhenheim and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Slaybaugh and Mrs. Dora Killmer of Amboy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lott of Franklin Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard North and baby drove to Sandwich on Thanksgiving Day and enjoyed

dinner with Mrs. North's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Keenan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meurer and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Meurer and baby were entertained Thanksgiving day at the Ben Koch home near Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy June spent Thanksgiving day at the Darrell Farthing home in Rock Falls where a family dinner was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reid entertained with a Thanksgiving dinner on Sunday. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Olin Christianson and Mrs. Thirya Sanders of Walnut, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Underhill and two daughters, Beverly and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison, Mrs. Nettie Virgil and Mrs. Mae Gagstetter, all of Amboy; Mrs. Flora Reid and daughter Mabel of Amboy were unable to attend on account of the illness of Mrs. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchman were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn White of Harmon.

Gordon Spangler of Amboy visited Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. David North, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard North and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold North and children of Nachusa were entertained for supper on Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dewey near Lee Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Goscogin and two sons Earl and Gene called Sunday afternoon at the Albert Goscogin, Glenn Searls and Joe and Fred Goscogin homes in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchman and son Morris were dinner guests Thanksgiving Day of Misses Clara and Henrietta Buchman of Dixon.

Mrs. Dora Killmer of Amboy spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Slaybaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and family of Polo were entertained for Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Killmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hullah entertained with a scramble Thanksgiving dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Grove and family of Sterling; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Royster and family of Dixon and Miss Maxine Kelley of Franklin Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. David North, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard North, Mr. and Mrs. Harold North and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lahman drove to Green Valley Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Alva Fuller, who passed away Thursday. The funeral was at 1:30 at the home and 2 o'clock at the Union church with burial at Manito.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yocum, Mrs. Barney McCracken of Franklin; Mrs. Jake Adams of Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chamberlain and baby of Kings were called to Pocahontas, Iowa, Thursday by the death of Mrs. Yocum's father, E. R. Yocum who passed away on Wednesday morning after an illness of some duration. The funeral was held Friday and the party returned to their home on Sunday.

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Open House

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bass entertained at open house Friday night for Mr. and Mrs. John Ruam of Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Ruam left Sunday to return to Buffalo after spending the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. May-silles.

Receives Civil Service
Appointment

Miss Verna Belle Settles who has been employed in the Federal Reserve bank in Chicago has received her civil service appointment and for the next month will be at the First National Bank in Chicago, when she expects to be transferred. She spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Settles.

Party at Home

Members of the local Church of God will hold a party at the Golden Rule Home tonight as a welcome to the new superintendent and matron of the Home, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Palmer and for the new students of the Bible Training class also as a farewell for Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Conner who expect to leave Sunday for Temple, Arizona where Rev. Conner will take charge of the Church of God formerly held by the late Rev. S. J. Lindsay.

Bridge Club

Mrs. Rex Walter will be hostess to the Wednesday afternoon bridge club.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Tilton, Marion Mosteller, Mrs. James Harshman and Mrs. Lucy Glasgow were guests Sunday of Rev. and Mrs. George B. Draper at St. Charles. Rev. Draper was former pastor of the Oregon Methodist church.

Mrs. Gordon Sprague and children returned to Lake Bluff Sunday after spending Thanksgiving and the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdoch. Mr. Sprague returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Behler were week end guests at Davenport, Ia. of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Britt and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Olinger.

Merle Mohr of Tuscola, Ill. formerly of Oregon spent the week end here with friends. He makes his home with Dr. and Mrs. Walter Blaine at Tuscola.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Behler who expect to leave soon to spend the winter in the south are moving from their residence to their trailer the latter part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hinkle will occupy the home.

Dr. and Mrs. Philip Miller of Chicago spent the week end at Siniissippi farm with former Governor F. O. Lowden.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hewitt entertained guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. George Ryan and daughter Elaine of Chicago. Miss Azalia Winfrey of Loves

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Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Inks and daughter Dorothy of Princeton, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shifflett and Rev. R. A. Mulligan were dinner guests Thursday of Mrs. Mary Inks.

Miss Ila Limerick of Rock Falls was a dinner guest Saturday at the H. A. Jackson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kramer, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kramer and son Russell, and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Hopper and two children were dinner guests Thursday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kramer and Russell Dean spent the week end with Rev. E. S. Nicholson and family in Muscatine, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Morton spent Thanksgiving and the week end at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Helen Calhaver and family in LaGrange.

Mrs. Anna Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Arden Jackson were dinner guests Thursday at the Archie Compton home in Oak Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kramer drove to Monmouth Friday where they visited the main office of the Banker's Life Insurance Co.

Mrs. Elizabeth Spohn and Mrs. Anna Spohn were hostesses to the C.D. of A. last Monday evening four tables of bridge were in play after the business meeting prizes were awarded to Mrs. Lou Kirk and Miss Mary Alice Quinn.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hammett and son David were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Arthur Symond home in Oglesby.

Miss Norma Boyd who teaches in the grade school in Loda spent her vacation at her home here.

Robert Albrecht who is employed by the Sherwin-Williams Paint Co. in Chicago and Evangeline and John Albrecht students at the University of Illinois spent the Thanksgiving vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albrecht.

A variety shower was given in the Lutheran parish hall Friday afternoon for Miss Henrietta Meyer in honor of her approaching marriage to Donald Erickson of Kasheer.

Miss Mary Loan of Chicago spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webster of Peoria and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walters in Princeton.

Mrs. Robert Ewald who had spent a few days in the Perry Memorial hospital in Princeton for observation and treatment returned home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Corey of Princeton were callers in town Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Thelma Conner and son Duane were dinner guests Thursday at the Lawrence Ganschow home in Normandy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Murphy and son David and Diane and Donna Welty of Chicago, Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson of Sheffield and their son, Tommy of the U. of I. and the Everett Johnson family ate Thanksgiving dinner at the Nick Johnson home.

Miss Lena Lane is visiting relatives in Albany, Ohio.

Harold Harderaen of Camp Leonard Wood, Mo. is spending a few days furlough with relatives here.

Several friends from this place attended memorial services for Mrs. Donaldson which were held Wednesday morning at the Norberg funeral home in Princeton. Mrs. Donaldson was the mother of Mrs. Tim Turner of Ohio.

BABIES' BONES

The bones of babies born in the fall are stronger, more mature, and have greater mineral content than those of babies born in other months, scientific evidence reveals. The varied diet and sunshine enjoyed by the mother in the summer months is believed to be responsible.

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The John Hedrick and George Silvius and Chris Nelson ate Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bonar.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bruner were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bruner and daughter Patsy of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher of Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bruner and children, Douglas and Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. George Miller.

Mrs. Nancy Pollock spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Foutz at Franklin Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newcomer and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Henderson and son, Donnie spent Sunday with the former's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wagner in Milwaukee, Wis.

Miss Fern Diehl is at the St. Anthony's hospital where she was taken Saturday night following an auto accident in which she received facial lacerations and other injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Unger and mother, Mrs. Grant Unger spent Sunday with the latter's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Frubry in Rockford.

The annual chicken and waffle supper will be served by the Lutheran Brotherhood and Ladies Aid on Friday, Nov. 28.

Local Boy Scout and Cub Scout leader will attend a leadership training institute to be held in Rockford Saturday and Sunday, November 29 and 30. The course will include the following units: "Health and Safety," "Elements of Explorer Scouting," a new course for Scouters with older boys problems: "Elements of Sea Scouting," "Principals of Scout and Cub leadership," for Cubbers, "How to Train the Den Mothers and Den Chiefs," all Scouters and Cubbers are urged to take this training and anyone interested in boys work may take advantage of this leadership training. The faculty will include outstanding educators.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Moore and sons returned home Sunday from Orvrenshoro, Ky. where they had spent Thanksgiving with their respective mothers, each of whom is past eighty years of age. Mrs. Elva Buser is spending a month vacation in Florida with Miss Olive Ballard of Rockford and formerly a teacher in the local high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ernsawirler and sons have moved to Galena where Mr. Ernsawirler has purchased a lumber yard. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Thomson will occupy

John Crabtree of Dixon Is Promoted

(Telegraph Special Service)
Camp Roberts, Calif.—John Crabtree, Dixonian who was inducted early this year into the U. S. army, has recently been promoted to the rank of sergeant.

Sergeant Crabtree is stationed at Camp Roberts, the nation's largest army replacement training center. Camp Roberts is located halfway between Los Angeles and San Francisco, and is about 30 miles from the Pacific ocean.

Most of the soldiers stationed at Camp Roberts are undergoing an intensive 13-weeks basic training course either in the infantry or the field artillery replacement centers of the camp. Upon completion of this course, the men are sent out to their regular army units. This is done at Camp Roberts at the rate of 100,000 a year.

Sergeant Crabtree has been appointed to take charge of supply for Company C of the 76th infantry training battalion, and is responsible for the issuing of clothes, weapons, ammunition and other equipment to the officers and men of Company C.

DEBUNKED

The so-called wet and dry positions of the moon can be predicted hundreds of years in advance, but no one can foretell wet and dry weather accurately months in advance.

Small diamonds have been discovered in meteorites that have fallen on the earth.

the property vacated by the Ernswirlers.

Mrs. Emil Thomson was a week end guest of her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. L. F. O'Neill at Barrington.

Miss Bernice Chambers came home from Evanston to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Arp and son Jimmy and Mrs. Worthington Thomas went into Chicago today to attend the concert of the Chicago Symphony orchestra featuring, Reginald Steward, director of the Peabody Conservatory of Boston, as soloist.

The Arps knew Mr. Stewart when the men played in the same orchestra in western Canada a number of years ago.

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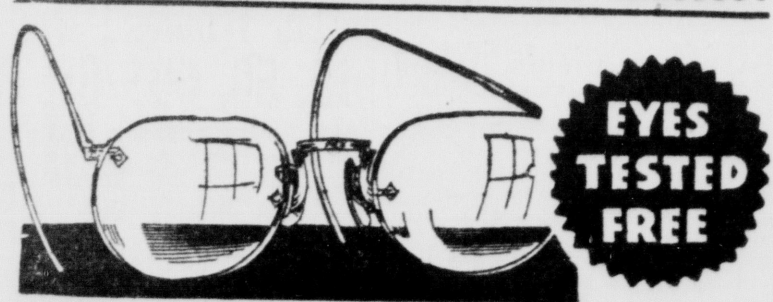
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TUESDAY'S THISSA AND THATTA

... unveiling ... the unveiling and presentation of the famous Cahill Cup which goes to Bob Hill for the highest percentage in football guest picking this season, will be made at the Gyro club banquet Thursday night ... let's see, they told us who would make the presentation, and the name sorta slips our mind ... seems, however, that he's sports editor for The Telegraph ... some minor character, no doubt ...

... time was ... 39 years ago tonight The Telegraph columns declared that several of Dixon's well known athletes would give an exhibition at the boxing carnival as part of the Thanksgiving Eve card ... at the opera house ... matches included: Monty Bales vs. J. E. McFall ... Jim Penny vs. Unknown ... William Saubny vs. Unknown ... Bill Ford vs. William Twomey ... M. Woodyatt vs. Josh Coleman ... W. Vaughn was timekeeper and Tim Sullivan was referee ...

... down to business ... the city hall cribbage team settled down to business in the meeting with Franklin Groves' peggers last night ... and took the series by a count of 18 to 14 ... the win for Dixon ties the total for each team during the current season ... Morrison and Fulmer led the scoring with 11 games to the visitors' five ... while Captain Dave Kelly and Miller led the pace, 9 to 7, over their opponents ... Fred Gross who is completing a 30-day vacation trip along the Pacific coast, is expected to rejoin the Groves before their appearance here next week, Captain Charles Kelley has announced ...

... in winning lineup ... Larry Coppotelli of Nelson played quarterback in the starting lineup for St. Ambrose Sunday in the school's 19 to 6 victory over Loras of Dubuque ... the St. Ambros team came through a thrilling second half rally to win ... the game was played at Davenport.

... when ladies meet ... repeat scorers in the Ladies' Bowling League last night were: Harwood 150-150 ... E. Cline 135-135 ... Wallin 112-112 ... Roach 111-111 ... Prestegard 98-98 ... in the 500 series class were H. Klein 178-145-221 for 544 ... A. Smith 157-160-190 for 507 ... A. Myers 192-154-163 for 509 ... on the honor roll were Schertner with 170 ... P. Carson with 187 and A. Daschbach with 170 ...

... organize independent cage team ... Myers & Nolan, clothiers, will sponsor an independent basketball team here this winter and the team roster has already been started ... five players have been selected ... they are Gene McNamera (manager), Earl Page, Louie Bevilacqua, Richard Arnold and Eddie Callahan ... they will be outfitted in new gold and blue suits ... they welcome challenges from any other independent teams of the neighborhood ... for information address Gene McNamera, 217 E. Fellows street, Dixon ...

... speaking of Conzelman ... Jimmy Conzelman, who will speak at the Gyro banquet Thursday night, played quarterback with the Dixon American Legion team at the old Brown's field here in 1921 ... the game was scheduled with the Rochelle Legion and ended in a scoreless tie ... Conzelman was playing with the Rock Island Independents that season ... he and an end named Koenig were hired for this particular game when a \$500 side bet had been posted to go to the winners ... Rochelle appeared on the field with the entire Beloit Fairies team which they had hired for the game ... after Dixon had padded its lineup with Conzelman and Koenig ... among the "old-timers" from here who played with the present coach of the Chicago Cardinals in that game were ... Sterling Schrock, Sherwood Dixon, Harvey Schofield, Dr. Hugh Burke, Clark Hess, Gus Wimpleberg, Milt Vaughn, Duke Kennedy and Hutchinson ...

... basketball at Ohio ... in their opening games of the season the Ohio high school varsity and lightweights left off with victory ... the varsity defeated Manlius, 28 to 23 ... and the reserves won 27 to 14 ... the next game is at La-Moille on Friday night ...

... shadows of things to come ... at Freeport (where Coach L. E. Sharpe and his Dukes open the basketball season Friday night) Coach Allen is building his 1941-42 team around seven lettermen veterans and eight 1940-41 frosh-soph award winners ... see you Friday, Pretzels ...

... leaders ... Ashton and Byron are undefeated in two Route 72 conference basketball games to date ... the Ashton Aces, last year's champions, have scored 84 points compared to 37 by their opponents ... Byron has rung up 65 tallies as compared to 44 by their foes ...

... on the air ... Jimmy Conzelman, coach of the Chicago Cardinals; George Halas of the Bears; Wes Fry, backfield coach at Northwestern; Bud Haase, Northwestern end and his teammate, Don Johnson ... were all on the radio yesterday from Chicago in the noon program ... the Herald-American Monday Quarterback club ... it was the final session ... Ken Detweiler heard the program and declares youse guys who get in on the Gyro club banquet Thursday night ... to hear Conzelman ... have a real treat in store ... Halas declared he didn't fear Conzelman on the gridiron, but in matching wits, he was afraid of Jimmy's sharp repartee ...

... on land for awhile ... Fred Bovey, son of Mrs. William Bovey, will be stationed at San Francisco for eight weeks for intensive study, it was learned today when he called his mother via long distance ... Fred is a cadet in the U. S. Merchant Marine and has been bounding the ocean blue aboard the S. S. President Tyler ... his shore leave does not include any furlough for Christmas time ...

It Takes Team and Coach to Get Shy Grid Player Going

Norman, Okla., Nov. 25.—(AP)—It took the coach and the whole first team to get that sterling character, the modest quarterback, to run, but when he did the field was full of touchdowns.

The sterling character, Orville Mathews, Oklahoma's signal master mind and fastest on the hoof in these parts, was threatened last week with a splinter-collecting job on the bench unless he called his own number.

All season he submerged his own talents in a wave of modesty, and left the headlines to his mate.

But Saturday Mathews reeled off a 56-yard touchdown gallop down the middle of another 27-yarder to pay dirt at the business end of a pass against Marquette. Oklahoma won, 61 to 14.

He called himself only four times on rushing plays but ground out 65 yards, which is not bad mileage on any kind of gasoline.

He might have been running yet but a hip injury sent him limping off before the half.

Abett's Conspiracy
Coach Dewey Luster said today that it took more than his own orders to cure the great little team player's passion for anonymity. There was, for instance, Tackle Roger Eason, who abetted the conspiracy.

Eason went around fixing Mathews with a fishy eye and growling: "Listen, little man, call yourself against Marquette or you'll be callin' for help, and I ain't kiddin'."

Mathews fell to employing some of his fancier footwork in broken field dashes down alleys when he saw Eason's ample hulk leave in to view.

Next Luster popped up in a practice huddle. "You'll all know I've been trying to get this guy Mathews here to carry the ball. Do you want him to lug the ball for our club?"

"Hell, yes," they howled.

Bowing to his sad fate, the quarterback grinned bravely.

"Okay, it's a deal."

Helen Klein Sets New Records in Ladies' Bowling Loop

FLOWER GIRLS RETURN TO TOP OF PIN CIRCUIT

Five Quintets Sweep Series From Rivals Last Night

The lassies on the Bowman and Dixon Floral bowling teams are riding the teeter-to-er these days—they're up; they're down. Last week they were balanced and now the "flower girls" hold a one-game lead over the shoe store maidens.

Biggest news in the Ladies' League at the Dixon Recreation last night was the 544 series rolled by Helen Klein for a new record and she also set the pace with a 221 game to establish a new high.

Eichler Bros. won three games from Lorene Beauty as Neff counted 397 for the winners and Page's 410 was tops for the losers. Kathryn Beard's quintet won three games from Nu-Fashion Beauty when Mrs. Klein set her new records for high game and series as a member of the winning club. O. Hackbarth counted 425 for the losers.

Plum Hollow won three games from Peter Piper's "Pretties" when Cline counted 396 for the winners and Duffy's 452 was high for the Piper pin-gals.

"Druggists" Win Series
Villiger Drug Store swept the series from Christos Grocery with Huyett counting 457 for the winners and Johnson rolling 415 for the grocery gals.

Dr. Bend's team won three games from Dixon Cafe as Egan counted 440 for the winners and Stiles rolled 409 for the safe crew. Frazier Roofing company won two games from Manhattan Cafe with Hoff counting 394 for the winners and Corso scoring 428 for the losers.

Budweiser Gardens won two games from Bowman's second-place team as Ellis rolled 465 for the winners and Heyer totaled 440 for the losers. Dixon Floral Shop's leader won two games from Rainbow Inn. High pin-class for the flower girls was P. Carson with 486 and Myers rolled 509 for the inn representing second high score of the evening.

SCORES AND STANDINGS:
LADIES' LEAGUE
Dixon Floral Shop ... 19 11
Bowman Shoe Store ... 18 12
Dr. Bend ... 18 12
Kathryn Beard ... 17 13
Villiger Drugs ... 17 13
Rainbow Inn ... 16 14
Eichler Bros. ... 16 14
Budweiser Gardens ... 15 15
Plum Hollow ... 15 15
Lorene Beauty Service ... 14 16
Dixon Cafe ... 14 16
Peter Piper's ... 13 17
Christos Grocery ... 13 17
Manhattan Cafe ... 13 17
Nu-Fashion Beauty Nook ... 11 19
Frazier Roofing Co. ... 11 19

Team Records
Rainbow Inn ... 977
High team game—
Kathryn Beard ... 2649
Individual Records
High ind. game—
H. Klein ... 221
High ind. series—
H. Klein ... 544
Lorene Beauty Service
Monari ... 107 92 84—283
Heybruck ... 120 120 120—360
Salsbury ... 118 138 119—375
Ooster ... 126 97 109—332
Page ... 140 153 117—410
Handicap ... 181 181 181—543
Total ... 856 832 893—2503

Eichler Bros.
Dixon ... 119 134 120—373
Cahill ... 100 113 74—287
James ... 128 114 154—396
Byrce ... 120 138 139—397
Handicap ... 257 257 257—771
Total ... 847 840 862—2549

Kathryn Beard
Klein ... 178 145 221—544
Freys ... 131 121 131—383
Poole ... 151 126 112—389
Shawyer ... 130 161 120—411
Smith ... 157 160 190—507
Handicap ... 109 109 109—327
Total ... 832 893 2581

Nu-Fashion Beauty Nook
E. Hackbarth ... 154 115 117—386
Hess ... 127 108 128—363
Oehl ... 113 151 94—358
Nack ... 142 134 160—436
Owens (ave) ... 130 130 130—390
Handicap ... 149 149 149—447
Total ... 795 787 787—2369

Plum Hollow
Cline ... 124 135 135—394
Greer ... 124 96 137—357
Herman ... 119 115 160—394
J. Smith ... 110 140 103—353
Wallin ... 129 112 112—353
Handicap ... 218 218 218—654
Total ... 826 816 865—2507

Peter Piper's
Finch ... 121 134 139—394
Cook ... 130 111 133—374
Duffy ... 135 157 160—452
Dove ... 142 116 130—388
McCordie ... 120 127 153—400
Handicap ... 134 134 134—402
Total ... 782 779 849—2410

Christos Grocery
Fischer ... 123 105 125—353
Horton ... 101 133 119—353
Johnson ... 127 119 169—415
Klein ... 107 130 99—336
Schertner ... 170 143 92—405
Handicap ... 178 178 178—537
Total ... 807 809 783—2399

Villiger Drug Store
Stroup ... 128 135 114—377
Slothmore ... 131 123 145—399
Innman ... 96 102 76—274
Hudson ... 83 99 106—288
Huyett ... 147 165 145—457
Handicap ... 231 231 231—693
Total ... 816 855 817—2488

Dr. Bend
Slas ... 140 128 159—427
Bend ... 130 123 110—363
Egan ... 130 164 146—440
McCordie ... 94 120 113—327
Kellen ... 145 114 138—397
Handicap ... 151 151 151—453
Total ... 800 810 827—2437

Dixon Cafe
Klefer ... 113 133 149—395
Jeanguenat ... 117 104 113—334
Struss ... 142 146 118—406
Wells ... 92 92 92—276
Smith ... 132 132 132—396
Handicap ... 199 199 199—597

BAREFOOT BOY

Glennville, Ga., Nov. 25.—(AP)—A. P. Moody clicks off touchdowns for Glennville high school in his bare feet. The 135-pound halfback wore shoes in the opening game this season but they hurt his feet and he has gone shoeless since. Moody reached his peak against the Savannah, Ga., freshmen when he scored his team's three touchdowns on runs of 88, 65 and 70 yards.

Pat Harder of Wisconsin Wins Scoring Crown

Chicago, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The Big Ten scoring championship is Pat Harder's, by a margin of more than three touchdowns.

The great Wisconsin sophomore fullback rolled up 88 points in six conference games to outdistance by 22 points his nearest rival, Jack Graf of Ohio State. Harder's scoring prowess lay both in running and kicking, for he counted eight touchdowns and had seven placement conversions for 55 points. The other three points were tallied on a field goal.

The Big Ten's top four scorers included three fullbacks—Harder, Graf and Bill Daley of Minnesota, who had 30 points. Tied with Daley was Bill De Correvont, Northwestern halfback, who scored three touchdowns in the Wildcats final game.

Other Sophomores
Two other sophomores, Bill Hillenbrand of Indiana and Otto Graham of Northwestern, tied with Wisconsin's Dave Schreiner at 24 points apiece.

Eight others deadlocked at 18 points each—Bill Garnaas of Minnesota, whose total was achieved on a single touchdown and twelve conversions; Bud Higgins and Bruce Smith of Minnesota, Bob Westfall and Tom Kuzma of Michigan, Dick Fisher of Ohio State, Don Clawson of Northwestern and Bill Green of Iowa. Dick Erditz, Northwestern quarterback, scored 14 points on conversion placements and John Petty of Purdue tallied 13 points.

The only conference team without a representative in the top 17 scorers was Illinois, which tallied only 13 points in league play, finished in last place and did not win a Big Ten game.

SCORING LEADERS OF PRO FOOTBALL ARE MEMBERS OF TOP THREE AGGREGATIONS

Chicago, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The seven players leading the National Football League scoring parade are members of the top three teams. The New York Giants, newly-crowned eastern title-holders, have two men in the top seven, the Chicago Bears have three and the Green Bay Packers two. The Bears and Packers are battling for the western flag.

It's still Don Hutson in the No. 1 spot. The Green Bay end now has 75 points on nine touchdowns, 18 conversion points and one field goal. He needs five more points to set a new record for points in one season, exceeding the 79 made by Jack Manders of the Bears in 1934.

Hutson has only one game to play. His nearest competitor, George McAfee of the Bears, has two contests to go and currently has 60 points, all made on touchdowns. Next is Clarke Hinkle of Green Bay with 56, followed by Ward Cuff of New York, 47; Hugh Gallarneau of the Bears, 42; Ken Kavanaugh of the Bears, 31, and George Marefos of New York, 30.

MUNGER'S BEST YEAR

Philadelphia—Pennsylvania enjoyed its best football season in the four years it has been coached by George Munger. With seven victories and a 13-6 defeat by Navy, Penn. matched the record of the 1936 team.

Total ... 795 809 803—2407
Manhattan Cafe
Kaufman ... 108 146 114—368
Hasselmann ... 113 85 122—320
Carso ... 160 130 138—428
Becker ... 87 111 119—317
Moore ... 129 149 108—386
Handicap ... 202 202 202—606
Total ... 756 823 803—2425

Frazier Roofing Co.
Roach ... 111 106 111—328
Prestegard ... 98 98 102—298
Sullivan ... 76 105 122—303
Hecker ... 134 83 132—349
Hoff ... 130 133 122—384
Handicap ... 256 256 256—768
Total ... 814 791 845—2450

Bowman Bros.
Courtright ... 98 145 110—353
E. Carson ... 140 146 126—412
Crabtree ... 112 125 89—324
Hoberg ... 107 111 93—311
Hoyer ... 151 175 114—440
Handicap ... 167 167 167—501
Total ... 775 869 691—2335

Budweiser Gardens
Harwood ... 150 144 150—444
Hahn ... 93 92 127—312
Fisher ... 127 160 136—423
Bonadurer ... 115 136 122—373
Ellis ... 156 148 161—465
Handicap ... 163 163 163—489
Total ... 804 843 859—2506

Rainbow Inn
Legore ... 156 139 154—449
Tilton ... 91 124 131—346
Meinke ... 120 125 143—408
Myers ... 192 154 163—509
Miller ... 111 155 122—388
Handicap ... 128 128 128—384
Total ... 792 835 811—2438

Dixon Floral Shop
P. Carson ... 140 159 187—486
Smyth (ave) ... 128 128 128—384
Phillips ... 134 145 114—393
LaFever ... 115 116 96—330
Daschbach ... 127 120 133—480
Handicap ... 150 150 150—450
Total ... 807 868 828—2503

To Speak at Gyro Grid Feast



JAMES CONZELMAN

"When it comes to mixing sense with nonsense, Jimmy Conzelman is tops in the speaking profession,"—that's what one sports writer has said about the guest speaker for the annual Gyro club grid feast here Thursday night at the Loveland Community House.

When the local Gyros play hosts to the members of the Dixon football squad each year, they always do a bang-up job, but this year's attraction promises to top all others.

Conzelman, vice president and coach of the Chicago Cardinals pro football team, is regarded as one of the best wits among the after-dinner speakers and as a coach, magazine writer, raconteur, musician, ex-amateur boxing champion, radio star, actor, etc., he is one of the most versatile men in the nation.

The public is welcome to attend the annual banquet and tickets (\$1.50) may be purchased from any member of the Gyro club, at Banta's, Royal Blue store, and from Forrest Trautwein at the I. N. U. George Lindquist is to be toastmaster of the event and dinner will be served by the ladies of the Methodist church.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, Nov. 25.—(The Special News Service)—Now that baseball men are about ready to start to Jacksonville, Fla., for the minor league meetings and a little warm sunshine, more and better "type trades" are appearing in the papers ... The scribes apparently have given up on selling Hank Greenberg for the Tigers and are trading Rudy York instead. Another report is that the Browns may peddle Chet Laabs to the Senators ... Most complicated story says the Phils are ready to send Bobby Bragan to the Giants providing a dicker can be arranged to get them Claude Corbitt, Jack Graham, Ed Head and Al Sherard, Brooklyn's best quartet of farmhands, in exchange for Danny Litwhiler.

No Coaching, Coach
Steve Owen tells this on himself: In Sunday's Giants-Redskins game he noticed that Hank Soar was turning around frequently to look at the clock. Steve was afraid Sammy Baugh would pitch a pass right at Hank's head, so he yelled, "Stop watching that clock and keep your eye on the ball" ... Soar didn't even look around to see who was hollering. He just called back, "Don't bother me—I'm busy."

Odds—And Some Ends
Henry Armstrong is in town, looking fat and prosperous, to see Mike Jacobs about getting a few fights for his lightweight, Mike Delia of Los Angeles ... A DuBuque (Ia.) bowling team has its shirts lettered "Ch-mps" ... They'll fill in the blank after the season ... Norment Quarles has retired from fighting and is practicing chiroprapy in his home town of Hendersonville, N. C.

Today's Guest Star
Ken Alyta, Waterbury (Conn.) Republican: "The Texas A. & M. schedule this fall looks like a plate of alphabet soup, with Texas A. & M., N. Y. U., T. C. U. and S. M. U. having been vanquished to date. No truth to the report that the players are on WPA however."

Football Fricassee
The Orange Bowl promoters already have sold tickets to buyers in 36 states and expect to do better ... Dick Harlow calls large Vern Miller "probably the most remarkable athlete I've ever had" ... Vern played end and guard as well as tackle and all in one game ... John Kimbrough is due to play his last football game for the N. Y. Americans here Sunday and report Monday to his movie company in Hollywood.

Minnesota's Great Football Team Says Farewell to Arms

Minneapolis, Nov. 25.—(AP)—It was farewell to arms today for that great Minnesota football team.

Just before the annual athletic convocation this afternoon, the lettermen pick a 1942 captain and at the ceremony to follow Captain Bruce Smith will pass on the torch of leadership.

Certainly the new leader will have his job cut out for him, for he will be pledged to hustle for the alma mater as no other Golden Gopher ever hustled before. His responsibility will be to get that 1942 outfit tuned up to pick up that 17 game winning streak.

A lot of guys behind the blasting 1941 drive to the pigskin heights will be missing, for 14 men besides Captain Smith have played their last college football.

Heading the Holdovers
Heading the holdovers are such stars as Tackle Dick Wildung and Fullback Bill Daley and the guesser was that one will be the captain unless it is made a co-captaincy.

Meanwhile, Minnesota's champions sketched back over the perfect season and listed some of the highlights.

The men generally agreed that Michigan was the best team played during the season judging on a basis of speed, hard-hitting and general grid oomph.

They rated their team play in that 41 to 6 clincher against Wisconsin as the season's peak.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)
New York—Francisco Montaneri, 146, Genoa, Italy, outpointed Tony Ferrara, 147½, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., (8).

Chicago—Aldo Spoldi, 138, Italy and Willie Joyce, 137½, Gary, Ind. drew, (10). Dan Wallenfang, 143, Milwaukee, outpointed Arnold Dear, 150, Indianapolis, (4).

Newark—Frank Martin, 137, Los Angeles outpointed Lou Fortuna, 135, Philadelphia, (8).

Bridgeport, Conn.—Eddie Alizek, 145, New York, knocked out Al Evans, 147, Boston, (5).

CORNELL'S HARD LUCK
Ithaca—Cornell suffered a stroke of misfortune at the kick-off in its 16-0 defeat by Pennsylvania, when Fullback Joe Martin wrecked his knee and could not return.

BABY DIES IN CRASH
Staunton, Ill., Nov. 25.—(AP)—Vera Joyce Castlemann, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Castlemann of Argo, Ill., was fatally hurt yesterday in a head-on collision of automobiles on route 66 near here. Six others, including the child's parents, were injured.

Harmon Ignores Local Circuits in Picking Stars

Pat Harmon, sports editor of the Champaign News-Gazette has ignored such championship football teams as DeKalb of the North Central conference and Rochelle and Rock Falls of the Rock River Circuit in picking his annual all-state football team.

Sports fans of this area are firm in their belief that this neck of the woods produces some mighty fine prep school talent on the grid-irons and are thus not in complete accord with the pickings of the veteran sports writer.

From DeKalb, then, and from Dixon, Sterling, Mendota and Princeton there are certain unsung heroes. Added to these "ignored" lads are some mighty fine salaried stars from Rock Falls, Morrison, Polo, Amboy, Rochelle, Oregon and Mt. Morris.

Harmon's 1941 selections are as follows:

Champaign, Ill., Nov. 25.—(AP)—The All-State football team picked by Pat Harmon of the Champaign News-Gazette:

FIRST TEAM			
Ends	Ht.	Wt.	Age
Frank Baumann,	6-3	215	17
Thornton			
Gordon Blachman,	6-1	198	18
LaGrange			
Tackles			
Clarence DeValik,	6-3	220	18
Fenger			
Heze Hindman,	5-9	192	17
West Frankfort			
Guards			
Mario Ongara,	5-11	191	19
St. Bede			
Gordon Surber,	5-11	185	17
Elgin			
Center			
John Lukachik,	5-11	192	18
Benid			
Phil Durant,	5-10	194	17
Wheaton			
Bob Nussbaumer,	5-11	160	18
Oak Park			
Dwight Eddleman,	6-2	176	18
Centralia			

All-State Alternates

LEADS U. S. FORCES IN FAR EAST

HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured U. S. Army man, Lieut. Gen. Douglas A. ...

8 He was once the youngest chief of ... in the U. S. Army.

12 Ocean (abbr.).

13 Peels.

14 River (Sp.).

15 Each (abbr.).

16 Strain.

18 Male.

19 Snaky fish.

20 Far East.

21 Japanese coin.

22 Sodium chloride.

23 Greek letter.

24 Erbium (symbol).

25 Type of jacket.

28 Fragrant oils.

31 Female sheep.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

6 Domestic fowl.

7 Pronoun.

8 Err.

9 Toward.

10 Touch.

11 Hesitate.

14 Hastened.

17 African river.

18 Edible flesh.

19 Auricles.

21 Endure.

22 Caravansary.

26 Drops of eye fluid.

27 Cluster of fibers.

29 Beverage.

30 He was born in ...

31 Secure.

34 Hasty.

36 At.

37 Spoke imperfectly.

40 Bones.

41 Leap.

42 Volcano in Sicily.

44 Wan.

46 Dance step.

49 Pronoun.

VERTICAL

1 Engines.

2 Genus of maples.

3 Church part.

4 He command-ed the famous ... Division in the World War (pl.).

5 Run.

32 Age.

34 Grated.

35 Related by blood.

38 Land measure.

39 Hurl.

42 Low tides.

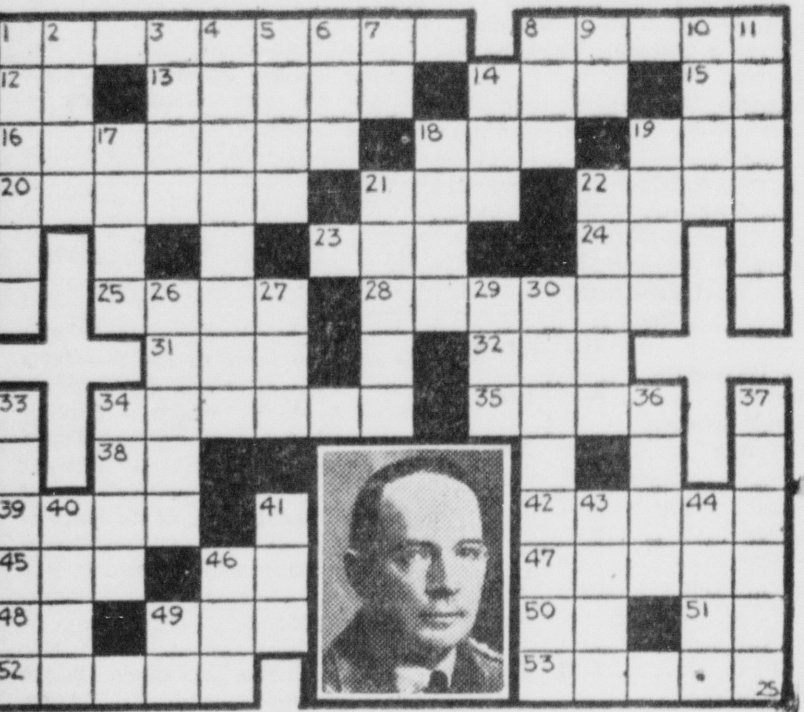
45 Tree.

46 Italian river.

47 Strip of leather.

48 Exists.

49 Chart.



SIDE GLANCES

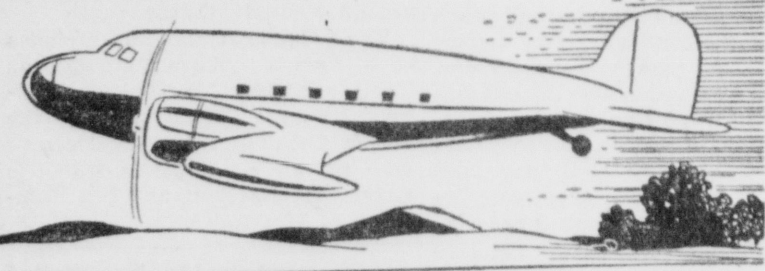
By GALBRAITH



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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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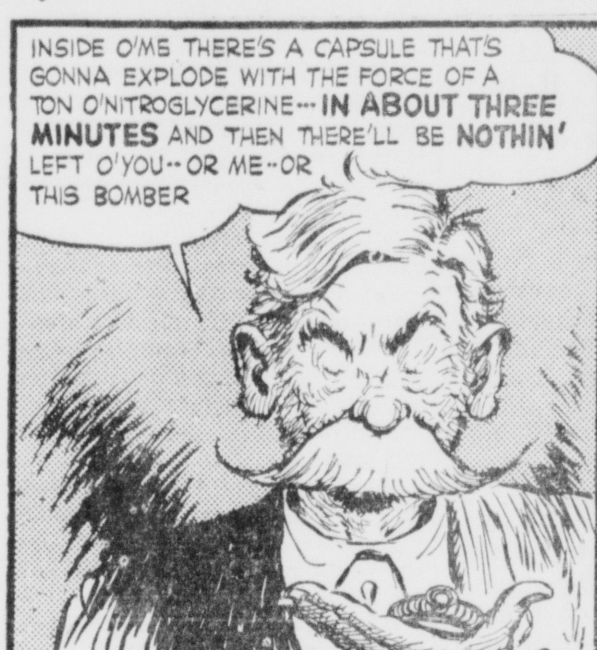
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Singing Sam—WCFL
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12:30 Right to Happiness —
WBEM
Songs of Romance—WCFL
Navy at Noon—WAIT
Front Page Farrell—WGN
12:45 Road of Life—WBEM
Famous Marches—WAIT
1:00 Young Dr. Malone—WBEM
Light of the World —
WMAQ
1:15 Girl Interns—WBEM
Mystery Man—WMAQ
Painted Dreams—WGN
1:30 Valiant Lady—WMAQ
Gustav Who—WCFL
1:45 Arnold Grimm's Daughter —
WMAQ
Marriage Bureau—WGN
Kate Hopkins—WBEM
Spotlight—WCFL
2:00 Orphans of Divorce—WLS
Helping Hand—WBEM
Against the Storm —
WMAQ
2:15 Surprise—WCFL
Ma Perkins—WMAQ
Amanda of Honeymoon
Hill—WLS
2:30 Linda's First Love—WIBA
Guiding Light—WMAQ
American School of Air —
WBEM
John's Other Wife—WLS
2:45 Vic and Sade—WMAQ
Concert Gems—WAIT
3:00 Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WGN
3:15 Todd Hunter—WBEM
Bing Crosby—WAIT
Stella Dallas—WMAQ
Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Lone Journey—WBEM
Tea Tunes—WAIT
3:45 Young Widder Brown—
WMAQ
Army Maneuvers—WGN
Airport Interviews—WAIT
4:00 Story of Mary Marlin —
WBEM
Hollywood—WAIT
When a Girl Marries —
WMAQ
4:15 Portia Faces Life—WMAQ
Parade of Hits—WAIT
The Goldbergs—WBEM
4:30 We the Abbotts—WMAQ
Getting the Most Out of
Life—WGN
The O'Neills—WBEM
4:45 Dinning Sisters—WHO
J is a t Entertainment —
WBEM
5:00 Off the Record—WGN
Captain Danger—WMAQ
5:15 Hedda Hopper's Hollywood —
WBEM
Secret City—WGN
Musical Memories—WMAQ
5:30 Frank Parker—WBEM
Flying Patrol—WGN
Hollywood News—WMAQ
Guest Who—WCFL
5:45 The World Today—WBEM
Lowell Thomas—WLW
Straight Shooters—WGN
Captain Midnight—WGN
Jack Kelley's Orch. —
WCFL
Evening
6:00 Easy Aces—WGN
Amos 'n' Andy—WBEM
Sweet and Spanish —
WBEM
6:15 Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost
Persons—WGN
News of the World —
WMAQ
Lanny Ross—WBEM

Our Boarding House

THE MAJOR TOLD
US HE'D RETURN
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IN THE SPRING!
HIS FISHING
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A TREK INTO
THE HIMALAYAS.

I'M AFRAID THAT
PUTS THE FROST
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BOTH A NICE
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Out Our Way

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GOOD CARE OF 'EM! I'LL
HAVE 'EM SO FULL OF CAKE,
WEENIES, CANDY, HAM,
HONEY AN' HAMBURGER
THAT YOU WON'T HAVE TO
FEED 'EM PER A WEEK
AT HOME!

I'M NOT
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NUT! CANDY
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THERE ISN'T A
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By Williams

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FORRESTON

MRS. LYLE MARKS
Reporter
Phone 6723

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stevens
and family of Shannon were
guests in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. C. A. Beebe on Sunday.
Elta Mae Asche spent several
days last week with her aunt, Mrs.
Benj. Zumdahl.
The bridge club will be enter-
tained in the home of Mrs. Lee
Beebe Thursday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fager and
son Richard, Mrs. Elizabeth Fag-
er and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fag-
er and daughter, Wava Jean, were
present at a scramble supper
Friday evening at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Harley Motter at
Leaf River in honor of Mrs. Mot-
ter's birthday anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marks and
son Carl Jr. of Leaf River were
Sunday evening guests in the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Abels.

Miss Martha Kaney is a patient
at the Deaconess hospital, Free-
port, having submitted to major
surgery Saturday morning.

Mrs. Nettie V. Blair of Mt. Morris
and Mrs. Lyle Marks and
Mrs. Isola N. Blair were en-
tertained Sunday in the Frank
Blair home in honor of Miss Jean
Blair's birthday anniversary.

Samuel Byers is receiving medi-
cal treatment at the Deaconess
hospital in Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fager and
son Richard were Chicago visitors
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stukenberg
and son Dudley and Mr. and Mrs.
George Windle and family were
dinner guests at the John Duit-
man home in Freeport Sunday.

Merlyn Stukenberg and son
Jimmy and Mrs. Ida Kuntzelman
of Leaf River and Mr. and Mrs.
George Stukenberg Jr. and son
Eldon were dinner guests in the
home of Mr. and Mrs. George
Stukenberg Sr. on Sunday.

Miss Ella Stine and Fred H.
Stukenberg spent Sunday after-
noon in the Samuel McFarland
home at Adeline.

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will present a Thanksgiving pro-
gram Friday evening, November
28 at the school. Following is the
program to be presented:
Welcome—Vernon Ruthe
America—School
Play—The First Thanksgiving
Piano duet, Qui, Vivi—Irene
Wubben, and Doris Swale
Recitation, "The Little Pilgrim
Maid"—Carol Swale
Recitation, "Growing Up"—Ver-
non Ruthe
Piano solo, "Spring Showers"—
Mary Ann Korf
Recitation, "Little Children"—
Naomi Korf
Recitation, "Our Flag"—Lowell
Swale
Tonette Band, "O Susanna"—
Upper grades
Play, "Foxy Grandpa"—Robert
Plock, Virgil Swand, Lloyd Zim-
merman.
Play, "Baking a Cake"—Mary
Ann and Joan Korf.
"Coming Thru the Rye," Start-
ing off to school, rhythm band.
Verse choir, The ocean is a per-
son, permanent wave—All pupils
Recitation, "What I'm Thankful
For"—Marvin Harrenstein
Autumn Gypsies
Group of songs—"Be a Hero"
"Home on the Range," "God
Bless America".
Mrs. Florence Hepler is the
teacher.

"Splinter protection," a new ad-
vance in the form of topside ar-
mor, is being installed on many of
the ships of the U. S. Navy to
protect gun crews, observers and
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WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Warling
Reporter
Telephone L291

Mrs. Earl Hopkins and son of Chicago were week end guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sergeant spent Saturday in Peoria.

James Wagner spent the week end at his home in Mendota.

Elinor Glaze and Margaret Walis were Sunday guests at the Henry Kohler home in Kewanee and were accompanied home by Mrs. L. H. Glaze and daughter Doris Ann, who had spent the week end at the Kohler home.

Mrs. J. H. Hopkins and sons and Mrs. George Short arrived home Sunday evening from a week end visit. Mrs. Hopkins and sons had spent Thanksgiving and the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lillian Marks in Independence, Mo., and Mrs. Short had accompanied her and spent the time with her cousin, Mrs. Norris Remsburg in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holloway of Sterling were Saturday visitors, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Forrester of Malden were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Charles Watkins and daughters, called by the critical condition of Mrs. Watkins, who is Mrs. Forrester's mother, and Mrs. Holloway's grandmother.

E. A. Gilchrist spent Sunday in Macomb at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gilchrist, and was accompanied home by his wife and children who had spent the week end at the Gilchrist home in Macomb.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Castle spent the week end in Peoria with Mrs. Castle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Totten.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kasten and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boney were Sunday dinner guests in Danville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wirt.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beiber of Lockport, Ill., were week end guests of Mrs. Beiber's parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cameron and daughter were Sunday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brainerd in Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Abraham of Walnut and their house guest, Mrs. Hulda Monn of New York City and Mr. and Mrs. Lindolf of New Bedford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson of Low Moor, Iowa, and Mrs. Monn remained there for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Black left Tuesday for Harrisburg, Pa., to combine a business trip with a visit to the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Emerick.

Mrs. Clarence Balack and son Alger left Friday for a visit with relatives at Scribner, Neb.

Mrs. Harlan Black and daughter are spending this week in Manlius with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heward.

Miss Alice Hufford spent Monday in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Wise and children of Sterling were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Rees of Dixon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Guither were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Albrecht at Sublette.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Guither were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bauer in Mendota at a dinner observing the 88th birthday of Mrs. Guither's father, George Bauer, whose whole family, four daughters and two sons and their families were present, making a group of 30.

Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Monson of DeKalb were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stone.

Irvin Nelick who attends Bradley college at Peoria spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelick.

Fred Renner of Belvidere was a week end guest at the home of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Dahl.

Pearl Hopkins returned to Eureka college Tuesday after a holiday vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hopkins.

Sixty neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Burkey honored them with a farewell surprise party on Saturday evening at their home. The Burkeys are moving from their farm into Walnut this week into the house they purchased last summer from their son, Glenn. The evening was spent in viewing motion pictures shown by W. F. Black. A gift was presented to the Burkeys and a delicious lunch was served. The Burkey farm is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Burkey's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Burkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swanson were hosts to their bridge club, the New Deal, on Saturday evening, five tables playing. High score prizes were won by Mrs. Harry Anderson, Ronald Wessell, Mrs. Ronald Wessell and Everett Ganschow. Mrs. Earl Hopkins of Chicago was a club guest. Lunch was served.

The Pontoon club members of Walnut were entertained on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lyle Upton in Prophetstown at luncheon and bridge. Three tables played and high score prizes were won by Mrs. Ralph Tuckerman and Mrs. Hazel Whitver. Mrs. Whitver of Walnut and Mrs. Ray Upton of Prophetstown were club guests. Members present were: Mrs. Roy Atherton, Mrs. Lou Ross, Mrs. E. C. Wilson, Mrs. Burke Livey, Mrs. Frank Nelick, Mrs. Ralph Tuckerman, Mrs. Ma. Son Burke, Mrs. Arthur Shearburn, Mrs. Pauline Shearburn.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Luis Ramos of Walnut on November 22, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Ramos of Manlius on November 23, a daughter.

The twin sons born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meridan at the Princeton hospital on Saturday, Nov. 22, passed away, one Sunday afternoon and one Monday morning. Brief funeral services were held Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crane purchased the cabin that has been owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Franks and moved it to the vacant lot between the Robert Parker and George Sergeant homes, and moved into it Monday. The Franks family moved into an apartment in the Walter Franks home.

Twenty from Red Oak attended a play at the Evangelical church in Perkins Grove on Sunday evening. They were: Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Dienen and daughter, Eleanor, Paul and Evangeline Albrecht, Marvin Guither, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baumgartner, Mrs. Walter Baumgartner and daughter, Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Birkey and sons, E. C. Baumgartner, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Guither and daughters, Ellen and Irene, and Mrs. Verner Heaton.

A birthday gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Ross in Princeton on Sunday observed the 88th birthday of Mrs. Rose's father, Ben Kerchner of Walnut, whose birthday occurred Saturday. Those present besides the honoree and the hosts were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Renwick and sons, Robert and

They'll Do It Every Time



MENDOTA

Hospital News
Irene Weidener, of Earlville, underwent major surgery Monday.

Mrs. Henry Orr and infant daughter returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Buddach and infant daughter of West Brooklyn, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Riegel are the parents of a daughter born Sunday.

Mendota Hurt
Robert Doran, RFD 2, Mendota, was treated at the Harris hospital Sunday at 10:15 a. m. for minor injuries. Doran suffered cuts on his chin and inside of mouth, the left hand and bruises to the left hand and about the body. After receiving treatment he was able to leave the hospital.

Rockford Man Hurt
Sylvan Hupp, Rockford, was slightly injured Sunday when the car he was driving skidded and overturned on U. S. 51 about a half mile south of Mendota.

While Hupp's Dodge sedan was almost completely demolished he escaped with minor cuts and bruises. It is reported that he was treated at the Harris hospital and then released. The wrecked car was towed to the Prescott Brothers garage, Mendota.

500 Club Meets
Mr. and Mrs. John Romano were hosts to members of the 500 club Sunday evening in their home in LaSalle.

Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Farmer, Floyd Blotch and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Scheidehelm. The hosts served a luncheon. The club will meet in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Childers.

Buffet Supper
Members of the Couples club of the First Presbyterian church were entertained at a 6:30 buffet supper Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jacob.

Toulon and Bradford relatives. Mr. Crane left Monday to take further treatments at a Martineville, Ind., sanitarium for a week or ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foote of Chicago were week end guests of Mrs. Foote's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dimmig, and the Footes and Dimmigs were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foy.

Briefs
Harold Hall is enjoying his vacation this week from the utilities office and is spending it at the home of his brother, Sam Hall near LaMoille.

Mrs. W. A. Crane, Sr., left Sunday to spend this week visiting

Plans were made for a Christmas party to be held Dec. 7, with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris as hosts. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Setchell were welcomed as new members. The group enjoyed an amateur and stunt program.

Personal
Mrs. Julius Schaller motored to Urbana Monday to return Louis Scheidehelm, Howard Fahler, John Schmitt, Clarence Harjes and Robert Hassenberger to their studies at the University of Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Setchell have left Mendota for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Madden returned Sunday from Lynville, Ind., where they had spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madden.

Sister M. Thecla and Sister M. Andrea, St. Xavier's academy, Ottawa, and Mrs. Charles Miller, Streator, were Friday guests of Mrs. George Lutz.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Landgraf and sons, Jimmie and Jackie, spent Sunday afternoon and evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kotecki, Webster Park, Spring Valley.

Decision Against Utilities May Go to Highest Court

Decision on Appeal of Illinois Court Rule Not Yet Reached

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 25—(AP)—Illinois cities won a significant victory in the field of home rule through the state Supreme court's decision establishing their control over the use of public streets by private utilities, in the opinion of Willis J. Spaulding, Springfield city commissioner and nationally known advocate of public utility ownership.

In its ruling handed down yesterday, the court declared that municipalities, rather than the Illinois Commerce Commission, have full authority to bar the use of their streets for poles or other equipment after a utility's franchise expires.

The decision sustained ordinances of the city of Geneseo and the village of Heyworth directing the Illinois Northern Utilities Co. and the Central Illinois Electric & Gas Co. to remove their lines from the streets in those communities.

"The important point in this decision is that the city's right to control its streets, as to their use by private corporations, is confirmed," Spaulding said in a statement.

"To my mind, the most serious drawback to good city government is the constant curtailment of the rights of cities, substituting either state or federal control. As authority is taken away, responsibility is taken away also; and instead of asserting its independence, the city becomes more or less a mere figurehead, going, hat in hand, to the state and federal government, begging for favors instead of standing on its own feet."

May Be Appealed
Some attorneys here saw the possibility the case might be carried to the United States Supreme court by utilities companies which fought the issue in the state's highest court. There was no immediate announcement, however, as to the course of action planned.

The utilities contended before the Supreme court that the ruling in favor of the cities would result in a "general increase in rates" charged by the municipally-owned light plants.

They declared also that it would "have the effect of completely overturning the economic basis on which the utilities in this state have heretofore been expected and required to formulate their rates, issue their securities, and conduct their operations."

Spaulding indicated he would continue to press action on a move under which the Springfield city council would seek to compel the Central Illinois Light Company to vacate the streets here, thus leaving the electric service field solely to the municipal light and power department. The

Prominent Aurora Feminist Is Dead

Aurora, Ill., Nov. 25—(AP)—Funeral services will be held here Thursday for Mrs. Emma Mason, 86, prominent Illinois feminist leader and crusader for better legislation for women during the past half century, who died yesterday. She was chairman of Governor Emmerson's advisory committee which planned the erection of the state reformatory for women at Dwight in 1929, which is now regarded as one of the finest reformatories in the United States.

Governor Green recently appointed her as chairman of a committee to study reforms at the state training school for girls at Geneva.

She led the legislative fight for the women's jury law, the eight hour day for women and the equal marriage and divorce rights for women.

Mrs. Mason was legislative chairman of the Illinois Federa-

tion of Women's Clubs and had served as state vice president of the same organization, the Illinois Women's Republican League and the Chicago Women's Club.

She was the widow of John T. Mason, Aurora wholesale baker who died in 1922.

DAYLIGHT TIME

Clocks are not always set one hour ahead for daylight saving time. They are only set 30 minutes ahead in New Zealand; 20 minutes ahead on Africa's Gold Coast.

Age requirements for the U. S. Navy enlistment are from 17 to 31 years. In the Naval Reserve 1 to 50 years.

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Cold weather is here—Are you prepared? If you are, we know that it's a fine feeling to sit inside while icy winds blow, knowing that your car has had a 10-Star checkup and is ready for winter.
IF YOU AREN'T PREPARED—COME IN TODAY
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